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30,000 JAPANESE KILLED IN SHANSI OPERATIONS

Guerilla Warfare Success In Harassing Rear

YUANKU SHANSI, DECEMBER 4. OVER 30,000 JAPANESE TROOPS were slain in action in Shansi during the last three months, General Wai Li-hwang, Chinese army commander in Shansi, told a "Central News" reporter.

General Wai, who is popularly known as "Hundred-Victory General," declared that the farther the Japanese penetrate into China's interior, the deeper they will sink in the quagmire, and the better chance the Chinese will have to annihilate them. This, he said, has been testified in Shansi.

China's guerilla warfare, General Wai pointed out, is effectively harassing the Japanese rear. Chinese military and political influence is predominant in Hopei, Shantung, Honan, Chahar, Suiyuan, and Jehol which are under Japanese military occupation. It is even noticeable in Liaoning and other parts of Manchuria.

A strong indication of Chinese military and political influence behind Japanese lines is the wave of defection sweeping over the Japanese—employed irregulars, General Wai added.

General Wai revealed that the Japanese have failed in three successive campaigns to capture Yuanku, important Chinese stronghold in south Shansi. The Chinese are consolidating their positions at Yuanku to make it a base of operations aimed at the recapture of the lost territory in North China.

SWEPTING SUCCESSES
Sweeping successes have been made by Chinese forces in southwest and south Shansi in a series of co-ordinated counter-offensives during the past week.

In southwest Shansi, the Chinese are throwing their whole weight on the Japanese between Yungku (Fuchow) and Fenglingtu, important Yellow River crossing, in their drive. They have recaptured Liuksun and several other strategic villages.

More than 300 Japanese soldiers are reported to have been killed and several Japanese gun emplacements at Tankuotun, have been destroyed.

Fighting has also raged in Anyi and Yungcheng, in south Shansi, and more than 10,000 Chinese "Red Spear Society" members have joined the Chinese troops to fight the Japanese.

Reports from north Shansi indicate that following a lull, severe fighting has broken out again at Pingting, Siyang and Shouyang, south of Wutai.—Central News.

SAILING OF NORMANDIE DELAYED BY STRIKE

Five Thousand Involved At Le Havre

Le Havre, December 4. The sailing of the French liner Normandie was delayed while the crew discussed the question of striking in sympathy with the crews of the liners Paris and Ile de France, who struck on Wednesday.

Mr. Anthony Eden, former Foreign Secretary, who was to have sailed to America on the Normandie has transferred to the liner Aquitania.

SOVIET FISHERMEN DETAINED BY JAPANESE

Moscow, Dec. 4. Allegations of the arrest and ill-treatment of eleven Soviet fishermen picked up in the sea by two Japanese vessels has aroused public indignation here.

According to the Soviet authorities the shipwrecked men after their arrest and ill-treatment were held to effect an exchange for frontier violators detained by the Soviet Government instead of being assisted in their return home.—Reuter.

HAINAN ISLAND COAST SHELLED

Chungking, Dec. 4. Ten Japanese warships are shelling various ports along the coast of Hainan Island, including Hainan, Yulin, Sian and Taling, according to Chinese reports.—Reuter.

Although the Normandie was unable to sail to-day on time owing to a strike of engine room employees, deck hands and others of the non-navigating staff, including dining room, cabin and kitchen attendants, it is hoped that the liner will be able to leave to-morrow.

This is uncertain, however, as hitherto that has been no specific requisition of the Normandie which might enable her to sail on time.

M. Chappedelaine, Minister for Merchant Marine, has authorised the dismissal of strikers at Le Havre proposed by the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, owners of the Normandie, Paris and Ile de France.—Reuter.

SHIPS IMMOBILISED
Paris, Dec. 4. Five thousand dockers and seamen at Le Havre are involved in the strike against M. Daladier's requisitioning order. Twenty French ships, including the Normandie, have been immobilised and all trans-Atlantic tugs.—Reuter.

DEATH OF SIR T. CALLENDER

Vice-President Of F.B.I., Aged 83

TRAVELLED WIDELY

London, Dec. 4.

The death has occurred of Sir Thomas Octavius Callender, J.P., Deputy Chairman and Managing Director of Callender's Cable and Construction Company Limited, London, Erith and Bombay and Vice-President of the Federation of British Industries and the British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers' Association, in his 83rd year.

Sir Thomas was the eldest son of the late Mr. W. O. Callender, of Bournemouth, and was educated at Greenock, London and France. He has been a member of Callender's Cable Company since its formation more than 50 years ago.

The late Sir Thomas Callender has travelled widely having visited India seven times and been through much of Africa. He has also visited America and the West Indies.

He was Chairman of Callender's Share and Investment Trust Limited and of the Associated British Manufacturers (Export) Ltd. He was also Director of the Anchor Cable Co., Ltd., Thomas Bolton and Sons Ltd., East African Power and Lighting Co., Ltd., Lancashire Electric Power Company, Scottish Power Co., Ltd., and Sudan Light and Power Company Ltd.

Sir Thomas was a Member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers. He was knighted in 1918.—Reuter and Special.

M. ORELSKY'S LAST APPEARANCE IN PUBLIC

Chungking, Dec. 4. The last public appearance of the Soviet Ambassador to China, M. Ivan Luganetz Orelsky, will be on the occasion of the public celebration on the 21st anniversary of the October revolution which is to be held on December 7 in Chungking. Dr. Sun Fo and Dr. H. K. Kung will also be present at these celebrations. M. Luganetz Orelsky has remained at Chungking since arrival here on October 20.—Reuter.

R.N.V.R. Establishments Throughout Empire

London, December 4. Arrangements are far advanced for the building of a chain of R.N.V.R. establishments throughout the Empire, writes the "Sunday Times" naval correspondent. The step marks the beginning of co-ordinated effort on the part of the colonies to bear their part in the naval defence of the Empire and its trade routes, adds the writer. After recognising that the Dominions have long had R.N.V.R. divisions.

The writer points out that the first Colony to follow this lead was the Straits Settlements. Recently R.N.V.R. divisions had been established at Hongkong and Kenya and "now steps are being taken for the establishment of similar organisations at Ceylon, Sierra Leone, Gambia, Nigeria and the Gold Coast."

CHINESE MINISTERS APPOINTED

Chungking, Dec. 4. Mr. Hsieh Wei-ling has been appointed Chinese Minister to Scandinavian countries.

Mr. Wang Ching-chi, at present Minister to Stockholm, is leaving on December 11 for Warsaw to assume the post of Chinese Minister to Poland.—Reuter.

CHINESE AMBASSADOR RETURNS



Dr. Chengting T. Wang (holding coat), former Minister of Foreign Affairs and until recently Ambassador to the United States, photographed on his arrival in the Colony on Saturday by the China Clipper. (Photo by A. A. Kahn).

Threat Against Special Privileges In Foreign Concessions In China

Shanghai, December 4. Once again a threat against special privileges in foreign concessions in China is ventilated in the Japanese press in Shanghai. A special telegram from Nanking "by the Shanghai Nippo" says that among resolutions adopted at conferences in Nanking concerning the future of Japanese occupied areas in China, one ran that all foreign concessions—which are bases of anti-Japanese elements—be recovered in order to put an end to anti-Japanese activities and remove all obstructions to the new regime.

Since no other paper or agency carries such a report it is suggested in usually well-informed circles that renewed circulation of the report is in the line of a test to see whether the Chinese puppet, rather than the Japanese themselves, has any chance to "get away with it" now or in the near future.—Reuter.

Generalissimo Gives \$50,000 For Refugees

Kwelin, Dec. 4. The Kwangsi Provincial Government has received \$50,000 from Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for the relief of sufferers of the recent Japanese air raids in Kwelin.

A telegram from Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, expressing sympathetic concern over the suffering of the Kwangsi people as a result of the Japanese bombings has also been received by Gen. Huang Hsu-chia, Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government. Dr. Kung instructed Gen. Huang immediately to carry out relief and rehabilitation measures.

The provincial authorities, in the meantime, are providing financial help for the homeless and the wounded. It is estimated that 10,000 civilians have been rendered homeless and destitute by the ruthless bombings.—Central News.

BODY FOUND ON HILLSIDE

SUSPECTED MURDER AT TAIPO ROAD

Police are investigating a case of suspected murder following the discovery of a body on the hillside above Taiipo Road near the 34 milestone.

The body was that of a Chinese male, aged about 35 years, and was found near a stream yesterday afternoon.

There were bruises and the body was tied up with twine and a large stone was lying on the fact. The head was bashed in.

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FIRE DISASTER AT BANGKOK AIRPORT

Imperial Airways' Daedalus Damaged Beyond Repair: Recently Overhauled

THE IMPERIAL AIRWAYS' PLANE DAEDALUS, on the Hongkong-Bangkok run, was damaged, beyond repair by a fire late on Saturday afternoon at the aerodrome in Bangkok.

On Friday morning Captain J. N. Wilson piloted the plane from Hongkong to the Siamese city. This was her first trip, after a complete overhaul at Kai Tak. The plane arrived in Bangkok on Friday evening.

On Saturday, Imperial Airways' engineers at Bangkok were servicing the plane for a "take-off" to Hongkong on Sunday morning when the Daedalus caught fire and burned. It is reported that the cause of the fire is similar to the one which involved the Dorado several months ago at Kai Tak.

There were no casualties on Saturday.

A statement issued by an Imperial Airways' official here yesterday, the Daedalus was damaged by fire and was beyond repair.

The Daedalus, a plane of the same design as the Daedalus, was taken from the Calcutta-Bangkok service and will be used on the Hongkong-Bangkok route. This plane arrived at Kai Tak yesterday at 5.40 p.m. and was piloted by Captain J. N. Wilson.

The Delta, piloted by Captain H. B. Collins and due yesterday afternoon from Bangkok made an overnight stop at Bangkok and will arrive in the Colony to-day at 11 a.m.

GERMAN CONSUL LEAVES U.S.

San Francisco, Dec. 4. Baron Manfred von Killinger, German Consul-General, has left for Berlin where he "will combine private with official business." He will, his attaches states, make a report to the Government on the general conditions of the Pacific seaboard of the United States in which will be included the mysterious explosion last month on the German freighter Vancouver.—Reuter.

ILLINGWORTH CUP RETAINED BY AZUMA

Azuma, sailed by C. J. Cooke, yesterday retained the Illingworth Cup for cruisers in the annual race under the auspices of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club. The race was over a distance of 54 miles and was started on Saturday evening.

	Finished	Corr.	Pts.
Azuma	18.57.21	08.49.52	1
(Mr. C. J. Cooke)			
U. & I.	12.26.33	12.02.55	5
(Mr. C. B. Colls)			
Wanderer	14.44.38	14.24.03	7
(Mr. D. W. Wagstaff)			
Punah	14.12.35	12.21.26	6
(Dr. L. D. Pringle)			
Norena	10.36.18	11.43.03	4
(Mr. P. M. C. Sedgwick)			
Yanthee	11.52.02	11.16.18	3
(Capt. Dibley, R.N.)			
Curlew	12.31.06	10.21.28	2
(Capt. Tracy)			
D.N.F.—Quest, Tyrone, Marander, Typhoon, and Tern.			

O.E.C. MARTON BEATEN

Results of the golf championship of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club played at Fanling yesterday are as follows:—

A. E. Lissaman beat Dr. I. Newton 4 and 3; K. S. Robertson beat S. J. H. Fox 3 and 2; Professor F. A. Redmond beat Col. Collin two up; W. J. S. Key beat O. E. C. Marton one up.

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER IN HUNTING SPILL

Collar Bone Fractured As Horse Stumbles After Jump

London, December 4. WHILE HUNTING WITH the Belvoir hounds, the Duke of Gloucester has a bad fall and it is feared that he may have broken his collar bone.

An X-ray examination at the Melton Mowbray Hospital confirmed that His Royal Highness fractured his collar bone.

It is stated that the mishap will necessitate the cancellation of his visit to Norway on Monday for the funeral of Queen Maud.

It is probable that the Duke of Kent will go to Norway instead of the Duke of Gloucester. The Duke of Kent is cancelling his social service tour of the Midlands for next week.

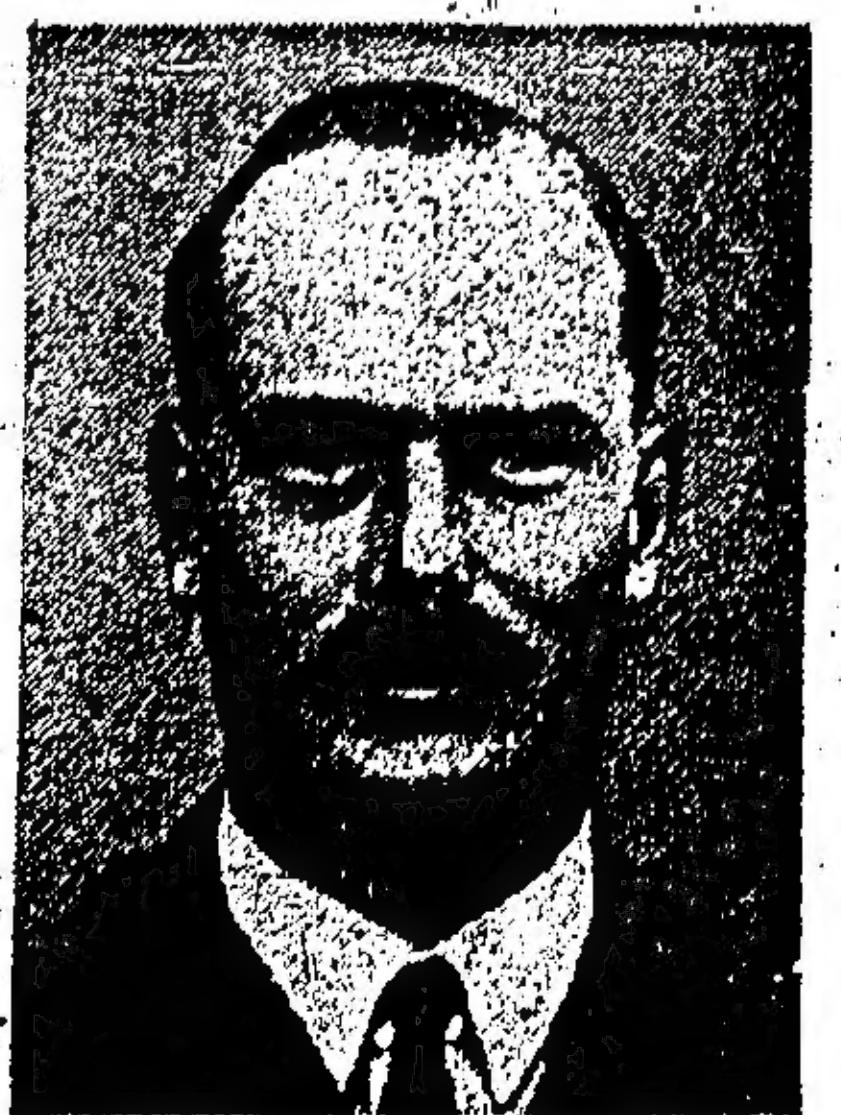
It is learned from a member of the hunt that the Duke of Gloucester's horse stumbled and fell after it had taken a jump. The Duke also fell and the horse rolled partly on him.

The stumble was due to the fact that the ground was very soft and slippery.

It is understood that the Duke may have to rest for two or three weeks. He has had eleven previous mishaps while riding mostly while hunting.—Reuter.

DUKE OF KENT

London, Dec. 4. It is officially stated that the Duke of Kent will represent the King at the funeral of Queen Maud at Oslo on Monday as a sequel to the Duke of Gloucester's hunting accident.—Reuter.



DUKE OF GLOUCESTER

R.A.F. FLIGHT

Singapore, Dec. 3. Three Royal Air Force bombers left Singapore to-day on a goodwill flight to Ceylon.—Reuter.

In the World of Sports

TAMPA BAY DISQUALIFIED AFTER WINNING

PROTEST FOR BUMPING IS SUSTAINED

DEAD-HEAT IN SECOND LEG OF THE DAILY DOUBLE

Although not favoured with brilliant weather the Twelfth Extra Race Meeting held at the Valley on Saturday was nevertheless a great success from the point of view of attendance. As a result the cash sweeps were well supported though no very big dividends were returned on the pari-mutuel.

The Daily Double saw Wennein and Easy Time dead-heat in the second race after Racing Boy had won the first leg. Those who chose Wennein received \$317.60 and backers of Easy Time received \$206.50.

Tampa Bay, ridden by Mr. P. Y. T. Wei, was disqualified for bumping after winning the Portobello Handicap (First Section).

TYNECASTLE HANDICAP

The favourite for this race, Estover, ridden by Mr. R. M. Wood, failed to place. Piet Hein, with Mr. C. F. Chiu up, winning to pay \$23.40 while Gold Sovereign (Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho) was second and Valorous (Mr. A. F. Ingram) third.

There was nothing much to the race except in the closing stages when Gold Sovereign challenged strongly for first place.

BLACKFORD HILL HANDICAP

Mr. V. V. Needa showed excellent judgment when he kept King's Privilege back until the last hundred yards when he gave the animal its head to see it finishing strongly to win by a length and a half, from Murray River (Mr. Hearne) and Little Audrey (Mr. Wade).

Murray River went off to a flying start and led by several lengths for three parts of the race. Then, coming into the home stretch King's Privilege began to move up and slowly but surely caught up with the leading pony, finally passing it in front of the Press Box.

ST. ANDREW'S STAKES

The main event of the day, St. Andrew's Stakes, was won by Red Feather (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) in as good a race as ever seen at the Valley this year, the finish being exceedingly close.

Oak Bay (Mr. Von Delwig) led the field when it passed the Post for the first time, followed by Rob Roy (Mr. Encarnacao) and Jober (Mr. Raymond) but after the Rock was passed for the second time Moonlight View (Mr. Pih) and New Star (Mr. Pan) moved up in grand style, followed by Red Feather.

They were bunched together, coming into the home stretch, but at the Distance Post the three leading ponies went in front, Red Feather, New Star and Moonlight View finishing in the order named.

PORTOBELLO HANDICAP

Mr. P. Y. T. Wei won his second race of the day when he brought Tampa Bay past the Post in front of the rest of the field in the Portobello Handicap. Lucky (Mr. Pih) was second and Scenic View (Mr. Pih) third.

Tyne (Mr. L. B. Chao) was badly left at the start and never had a look in. A special word of praise must be said of the mastery with which Mr. Wei handled Tampa Bay after it bored right out at the Golf Club corner.

HEART O'MIDLOTHIAN HANDICAP

Mr. H. P. Chanson rode Racing Boy in good style to win the first leg of the Daily Double, the second and third places being filled by Tribute (Mr. S. L. Yuen) and Flybynight (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) respectively.

The close finish in this race again spoke volumes for the clever handicapping, the fight for second place being exceedingly exciting.

CRAMOND BRIG HANDICAP

Mrs. J. H. Taggart's Lancashire Chips, ridden by Mr. B. A. Proulx, won this race in the record time of 59.3 secs., with Courtling Eve (Mr. H. C. Pih) only a short head behind. Third was Able Amazon (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei).

Lancashire Chips and Double Finesse (Mr. Y. T. Fung) dashed in front together at the start but the latter found the going too fast and could not keep it up.

Coming into the straight Courtling Eve and Able Amazon were given their heads and they responded gamely to fill the two minor positions.

POWDERHALL HANDICAP

The handicapper's fine judgment was again emphasised in the Powderhall Handicap when Wennein (Mr. Wade) and Easy Time (Mr. Needa) dead-heat for first place with five rulers (Mr. B. L. Tao) filling the other position.

Won by two lengths, a length between second and third.
Time: 2:59.2.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: \$16.30.
Place: \$8.30, \$20.20, \$14.

Also ran:—Commencement Bay, 143 lbs. (Mr. S. C. Liang); Cossack's Beauty, 140 (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Elizabeth, 148 (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne); Expansion Time, 144 (Mr. V. V. Needa); Expression Time, 145 (Mr. L. Wade); Jober, 141 (Mr. A. W. Raymond); Lancashire Lass, 140 (Mr. Ip Kuei-ying); Oak Bay, 146 (Mr. Von Delwig); Rob Roy, 152 (Mr. C. Encarnacao); Wild Life, 161 (Mr. S. W. Tang).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Commencement Bay	322	440
Cossack's Beauty	18	63
Elizabeth	31	98
Expansion Time	327	394
Expression Time	148	403
Jober	179	251
Lancashire Lass	21	46
Moonlight View	434	392
New Star	171	231
Oak Bay	52	91
Red Feather	1,118	1,084
Rob Roy	225	370
Wild Life	452	479
Total	4,116	4,339

4.—Portobello Handicap, First Section (11 Miles)

Mr. Dunbar's Tampa Bay, 161 lbs. (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 1.
Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Lucky, 153 lbs. (Mr. W. G. Poy) 2.
Mr. Lan's Scenic View, 145 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3.

Won by half length, two lengths between second and third.

Time: 2:36.2.
Pari-mutuel:—

Win: \$15.80.
Places: \$8.30, \$20.70, \$10.10.

Also ran:—Aplias, 142 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond); King's Lead, 145 (Mr. V. V. Needa); Laughing Girl, 143 (Mr. S. C. Liang); Rose-Queen, 152 (Mr. C. Encarnacao); Tyne, 157 (Mr. L. B. Chao).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Aplias	124	188
King's Lead	1,011	897
Laughing Girl	164	243
Lucky	73	145
Rose-Queen	458	386
Scenic View	610	623
Tampa Bay	1,160	950
Tyne	584	657
Total	4,164	4,089

5.—Heart O'Midlothian Handicap (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Why's Racing Boy, 140 lbs. (Mr. H. P. Chanson) 1.
Mr. Trianon's Tribute, 144 lbs. (Mr. S. L. Yuen) 2.
Mr. Hoping's Flybynight, 140 lbs. (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 3.

Won by a length, a head between second and third.

Time: 1:31.2.
Pari-mutuel:—

Win: \$72.20.
Places: \$18.90, \$14.80, \$19.90.

Also ran:—Cuban Love, 135 (Mr. K. I. Ip); Diogenes, 140 (Mr. S. W. Tang); Double Chance, 140 (Mr. A. W. Raymond); Ebony Idol, 140 (Mr. V. V. Needa); National Anthem, 144 (Mr. H. J. A. Hearne); Plain View, 151 (Mr. H. C. Pih); Royal Highness, 162 (Mr. S. W. Pan); Tiny Star, 163 (Mr. S. N. Pan); Whalsey, 142 (Mr. B. A. Proulx).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Cuban Love	15	40
Diogenes	76	116
Double Chance	692	788
Ebony Idol	133	189
Flybynight	271	267
National Anthem	52	79
Plain View	312	322
Racing Boy	213	288
Royal Highness	766	730
Tiny Star	25	48
Tribute	353	414
Whalsey	581	518
Total	3,489	3,818

6.—Cramond Brig Handicap (From the 1 1/2 Mile Post)

Mrs. J. H. Taggart's Lancashire Chips, 152 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 1.
Mr. Lan's Courtling Eve, 165 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2.
Mr. Fatshan's Able Amazon, 150 lbs. (Mr. P. Y. T. Wei) 3.

Won by short head, two lengths between second and third.

Time: 59.3 (Record).
Pari-mutuel:—

Win: \$14.10.
Places: \$6.40, \$7.

Also ran:—Blandford, 135 lbs. (Mr. W. G. Poy); Double Finesse,



Mr. Richard Halliburton, the well-known sportsman and writer, (centre) seen with Messrs. John Potter and Robert Chase, who arrived by the Clipper on Saturday. They are proceeding from Hongkong to San Francisco in a junk shortly after the New Year. (Photo: A. A. Kahn).

145 (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Strathroy, 159 (Mr. A. F. D. Colson).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Able Amazon	505	507
Blandford	144	212
Courtling Eve	1,218	751
Double Finesse	673	504
Lancashire Chips	1,309	1,054
Strathroy	350	297
Total	4,199	3,325

7.—Powderhall Handicap (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Helvetia's Wennein, 155 lbs. (Mr. L. Wade) 1.

Mr. Li Po Chun's Easy Time, 152 lbs. (Mr. V. V. Needa) 2.

Mr. Manetta's Five Rulers, 133 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 3.

Won by dead heat, two lengths between second and third.

Time: 1:33.4.
Dead Heat.

Pari-mutuel:—

Win: \$20, \$17.30.
Places: \$18.10, \$12.50, \$22.60.

Also ran:—Acme, 137 lbs. (Mr. K. I. Ip); Cape Comorin, 157 (Mr. F. L. Ip); Dark Hazard, 147 (Mr. Y. T. Fung); Lancashire Chap, 187 (Mr. C. Encarnacao); Lucky Eleven, 151 (Mr. A. W. Raymond); National Dignity, 140 (Mr. H. P. Chanson); Sea Dragon, 157 (Mr. L. B. Chao); Split Hand, 183 (Mr. Tang Man-wai); Tabby Cat, 168 (Mr. H. C. Pih); Yum Sing, 155 (Mr. S. C. Liang).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Acme	12	27
Cape Comorin	108	72
Dark Hazard	29	60
Easy Time	470	447
Five Rulers	174	180
Lancashire Chap	32	87
Lucky Eleven	378	353
National Dignity	255	261
Sea Dragon	423	270
Split Hand	23	37
Tabby Cat	390	451
Wennein	384	302
Yum Sing	735	777
Total	3,581	3,344

8.—Portobello Handicap—Second Section (11 Miles)

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Evelyn, 168 lbs. (Mr. C. Encarnacao) 1.

Mr. P.P.B.'s Soldier of China, 155 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 2.

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Jane, 156 lbs. (Mr. W. G. Poy) 3.

Won by two lengths, a head between second and third.

Time: 2:35.1.
Pari-mutuel:—

Win: \$34.10.
Places: \$10.70, \$8, \$16.90.

Also ran:—Amberley, 160 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond); Bistre, 163 (Mr. H. P. Chanson); Gold Coin, 140 (Mr. K. I. Ip); Jungle Jim, 151 (Mr. S. C. Liang); Laughing Buddha, 151 (Mr. F. F. Li); National Defence, 154 (Mr. S. W. Tang); Wild Cat, 163 (Mr. H. C. Pih).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Amberley	205	288
Bistre	1,064	468
Gold Coin	49	87

ACROSS PACIFIC IN A JUNK

SOUTH CHINA "A" BEAT KOWLOON THREE-NIL

Complete First Round Of League With 18 Points

(By ROBIN)

South China "A" completed the first round of their Senior League fixtures at Caroline Hill on Saturday when they defeated Kowloon Football Club by three clear goals. The Chinese have thus obtained 18 points out of a possible 20, and their meeting with Middlesex next Saturday, in the first round of the Senior Shield, will be watched with considerable interest.

Middlesex, who are close behind South China "A" for honours in the League, also finished their first round matches on Saturday with a close win over Eastern, and now have 13 points.

Kowloon were badly handicapped through the absence of Sonny Bliss, their skipper and centre half, who is on the injured list. Honnibal filled the pivotal position and played a fine game; Maxwell, on his right, kept Lau Tau-man well in check.

Johnny Greaves who played in the centre-forward position in the first half, had bad luck with a number of shots. Pat Jorge was well marked by the Chinese defence.

South China "A" were at full strength but were well held during the first 20 minutes of the game. Lau Shiu-wing was outstanding in attack while both wingers did good work.

The teams were:—
KOWLOON: Hartley, Everest and Ulrich, Eastman, Honnibal and Maxwell. Reitsen, P. Jorge, J. R. Greaves, V. White and W. Knox.

SOUTH CHINA "A": Lau Shiu-wing; Mak Shui-hon, Lee Ting-san; Leung Wing-chiu, Lau Hing-choi, Lee Kwok-wai; Tang Kwong-sun, Lai Shui-wing, Fung King-cheung, Kwok Ying-ki and Lau Tau-man.

The R. A. F. defeated A. S. A. by seven goals to nil in a Third Division football match on Saturday. Froude (3), Dawson (2), Goodwin and Driscoll scored for the airmen.

In another Third Division match at Prince Edward Road, Stonecutters W/S defeated Signals by two goals to one. Croft and Kew scored for Stonecutters, and Kucher for the Signals.

The 24th Battery took the measure of St. Joseph's by two goals to one in the Junior Shield replay at Causeway Bay on Saturday, the Gunners winning after a hard struggle.

Middlesex beat Eastern by four goals to three on the Club ground in their first division match, but the losers were somewhat unlucky not to have got at least one point.

In another first division match, in Boundary Street, the Club, playing ten men throughout, lost to the Police by the odd goal in three. Howlett and Moss scored for the Police and Fowler for the Club.

In a Second Division match at Boundary Street on Saturday South China defeated the Police by five goals without reply.

NAVAL SOCCER

The Submarine Cup soccer semi-final was played off at Caroline Hill on Saturday and resulted in a win for Olympus over Orpheus by three clear goals scored by Lethbridge (2) and Hewish.

CAMBRIDGE BEAT OXFORD

In the Inter-Varsity football match played on the Dulwich Hamlet ground yesterday, Cambridge beat Oxford by five goals to three after leading at half-time by 3-2.

Oxford's defeat was surprising in view of the fact that they were hot favourites.—Reuter.

NATAL v. M.C.C.

Durban, Dec. 4.
Natal had scored 157 for three wickets when rain stopped play in their match against the M.C.C. yesterday. Harvey scored 76 not out.—Reuter.

LEAGUE GETS UNDER WAY

Ladies' Softball At King's Park

The Ladies Softball League commenced at King's Park yesterday morning when Mrs. Southard, wife of the United States Consul-General, pitched the first ball in the match between the Recrelo Girls and the Filipino Girls, the latter finishing up one run in arrears of a total bag of 25. The game was very exciting coupled with much "razzing" from the respective camp followers.

In the other matches, the Cardinals just managed to beat the Central British Association Girls by 12 runs to ten while the Wildcats disposed of the Pirates to the tune of 38 runs to 8.

In the Men's League, Recrelo beat the 3rd Machine Gun outfit 9-3, while the Chinese Baseball Club overcame St. Joseph's by a similar count. The Canadian Chinese defeated the Filipinos by eight runs to six.

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

BADMINTON.—"A" Division, University "B" v. University "A"; King's College v. Chinese Y.M.C.A.; Cathedral Hall Badminton, 8 p.m.

YACHTING.—7th Ladies First Series.

TO-MORROW

BADMINTON.—Ladies' League, St. Andrew's v. Recrelo "B"; European Y.M.C.A. v. Recrelo "A".

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7
BADMINTON.—"B" Division, S. & S. Home v. St. Andrew's "A"; Recrelo v. V.R.C.; St. Andrew's "B" v. Kowloon Tong "B"; Kowloon Tong "A" v. Wanderers; St. John's v. Chung Wah; Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, All Day and at 8.30 p.m.

BOWLS.—His Excellency The Governor's Team v. Kowloon Football Club, at Government House, 3 p.m.

HUNTING.—Fanning Meet (Hunter's Arms), 2.45 p.m.

RUGBY.—Club "A" v. an Army XV (Club), 4.45 p.m.

SHOOTING.—Weekly Spoon and Practice Shoot (Kowloon City ranges), 2 p.m.

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Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Thirteenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 17th December, 1938 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 8th December, 1938.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
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Radio Programmes

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ELVIE YUEN (SOPRANO)
FROM THE STUDIO

Latest Variety

12-12.20 p.m. Relay of a Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Songs by Dania.
La Guinguette A Forme Ses Violets (Zwengel); Chanson De Halage (Claude); with Orchestra cond. by Pierre Chagnon; L'Angelus De La Mer (Goublier); with Orchestra and Chorus of the Polles Bergere directed by Gaston Lapeyronnie.

12.40 p.m. Orchestra Mascotte.
Children Of Spring—Waltz (Waldteufel); Ever Or Never—Waltz (Waldteufel); It Happened In Vienna—Waltz (Ferry Muhl); Castanets—Waltz (Richard); Waltz Of The Dolls (Boyer); Excitation—Waltz (Lautenschlager).

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Len Berman (Vocal) and "Gonnie Munro's Orchestra".
You've Gotta Take Your Pick And Swing—Fox-Trot (film "Let's make a night of it"); When My Heart Says Sing—Fox-Trot (film "Let's make a night of it"); Gonnie Munro and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Nutting's Blue But The Sky (Newman-Spina)—Len Berman with Orchestra; Sweet Genevieve—Fox-Trot; On The Sunny Side Of The Rockies—Waltz (Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Blazin' The Trail (Powell); It's No Fun (Newman-Mencher)—Len Berman with Orchestra; Waltz of the Gipsies—Waltz (from "London Rhapsody"); Ten Pretty Girls—Fox-Trot—Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra with vocal refrain.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Latest Variety Numbers.
Massed Bands—Great Times—March (Brace)—Massed Military Bands; Vocal—Tonight Will Teach Me To Forget (film "Merry Widow")—Jeanette MacDonald (Soprano) with Orchestra; Piano—Clownerie Swing (Azorola); Rumba Aerobique (Azorola)—Azorola; Dance Orch.—Silver On The Sage—Fox-Trot (film "The Texans—Dick Jurgens and His Orchestra with vocal refrain by Eddy Howard; There's A Brand New Picture In My Picture Frame—Fox-Trot—Tommy Tucker and His Orchestra w. vocal refrain; Vocal and Piano—Take Me In Your Arms (Ronconi); There's Rain In My Eyes (Schwartz)—Lassie Hutchinson; Dance Orch.—Doctor Rhythm—Fox-Trot (from the film "The New Lyrics; Vocal Trio—Alexander's Ragtime Band (from the film); Dinah (Young-Aksh)—The Boswell Sisters with Guitar accomp.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6 p.m. For The Children.
Nursery Rhymes; Intro; Hush-a-bye; Hot Cross Buns; Dame got up; Curly Locks; Tom, Tom, I saw three ships; There was a frog; What have you got; Oranges and Lemons; Jack and Jill; The Spider and the Fly; Hickory, Dickory, Dock; Baa, Baa, Black Sheep; As Tommy was walking; There was a little woman; A Piper's Son—Uncle George's Party with Orchest. Studio—Serial Story—"Seeing The Empire"; Singing Games For Children; Musical Chairs; Bee-Ba-Baby—Chalmers Wood's Orchestra with vocal refrain; Medley of Shirley Temple songs from the film "Poor Little Rich Girl"—Henderson Twines with Orchestra.

6.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

6.35 p.m. A Variety Programme with Frances Faye, Bing Crosby, Stan Holloway and Harry Roy and Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

Dance Orch.—Breakfast In Harlem—Fox-Trot (from "Transatlantic Rhythm"); I Hear A Song In A Taxi—Fox-Trot (from "Transatlantic Rhythm"); Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Vocal—Would You? (from "San Francisco")—Bing Crosby with Victor Young and his Orchestra; Guitar—Pickin' My Way (Lang Kress)—Eddie Lang (Guitar) with Guitar accomp. by Carl Kress; Vocal—You're Not The Kind (Hudson, Mills); No Regrets (Tobias, Ingraham)—Frances Faye (with drums, guitar and bass accomp.); Dance Orch.—Spanish Juke—Rumba (from "Transatlantic Rhythm"); A Gift From Heaven—Waltz—Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Humorous Monologue—Jonah And The Grampus (Edgar)—Stanley Holloway with Piano; Vocal—One, Two,

SHORT WAVE

RADIO

TO-DAY'S BROADCASTS

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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TU-DAY
CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this Page).
DANCES.—Y.M.C.A. Service Men Dances, 9 p.m.
LECTURES.—On "A Humanist Education" by Professor R.K.M. Simpson, at the Education Society of the Hongkong University, 8:30 p.m.
MAILS.—(See Page 16).
MEETINGS.—St. Andrew's Church Medical Relief Working Party, 10 a.m.
MISCELLANEOUS.—St. Andrew's Church Teachers' Preparation Class, 7 p.m.
MOON.—X Moon, 14th Day.
RELIGIOUS.—St. Andrew's Church Bible Reading Fellowship and Fellowship of Youth, 6 p.m.
SOCIAL.—St. Andrew's Club "Open Night," 9 p.m.
SPORTS.—(See Page 10).
SUNRISE.—6:47 a.m. SUNSET.—5:39 p.m.
TIDES.—High at 04:57 and 17:58; Low at 00:20 and 11:36.

TOMORROW
MEETINGS.—District Watch Committee Meeting, at Government House, 12 Noon; St. Andrew's Church Mothers' Union, 3 p.m.; Brownie Pack, 3:30 p.m.; Urban Council, Post Office Building, 4:15 p.m.
MOON.—X Moon, 15th Day.
REHEARSALS.—Y.M.C.A. "Pantomime," in the West Lounge, 9 p.m.
RELIGIOUS.—St. Andrew's Church Boys' Choir Practice, 6:30 p.m.
ROTARY MEETING.—At Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden, 1 p.m.

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"Little Miss Broadway"
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It is notified in the "Government Gazette" that by virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Emergency Regulations Ordinance, 1922, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor in Council makes the following regulation, which shall be added as regulation 38 to the regulations made under the said section 2 on the 28th September, 1938, and published in the Gazette of the 7th October, 1938, as Government Notification 775 and subsequently amended:—

38. Where until the date of this regulation any premises have been supplied with water, the metered consumption or excess consumption which has been payable by an owner or landlord and recovered, in whole or in part, from his tenants by way of rent, such owner or landlord shall, notwithstanding any notices he may have given to his tenants or the water authority, continue to be deemed the consumer and shall be liable for payment of any moneys due in respect of such consumption, or excess consumption, until he has made arrangements satisfactory to the water authority for the continued supply of water to any persons lawfully occupying such premises, and, until such arrangements are made, the Water Authority may continue the metered supply of water to the said premises.

LICENSING BOARD ELECTION

It is notified in the "Government Gazette" that by Command of His Excellency the Governor, an election by the Justices of the Peace of two Justices of the Peace to serve on the Licensing Board for three years, vice Mr. Cyril Champkin, J.P., and Mr. Hugh Blackwell, J.P., whose terms of office expire on December 9, will take place in the Council Chamber of the Urban Council on Wednesday, December 21, from 4 to 6 p.m.

Forms of nomination may be obtained at the Magistracy, Hongkong.

Every nomination must be delivered not less than six clear days before the day fixed for the election.

The only persons entitled to vote at the election are the unofficial Justices of the Peace.

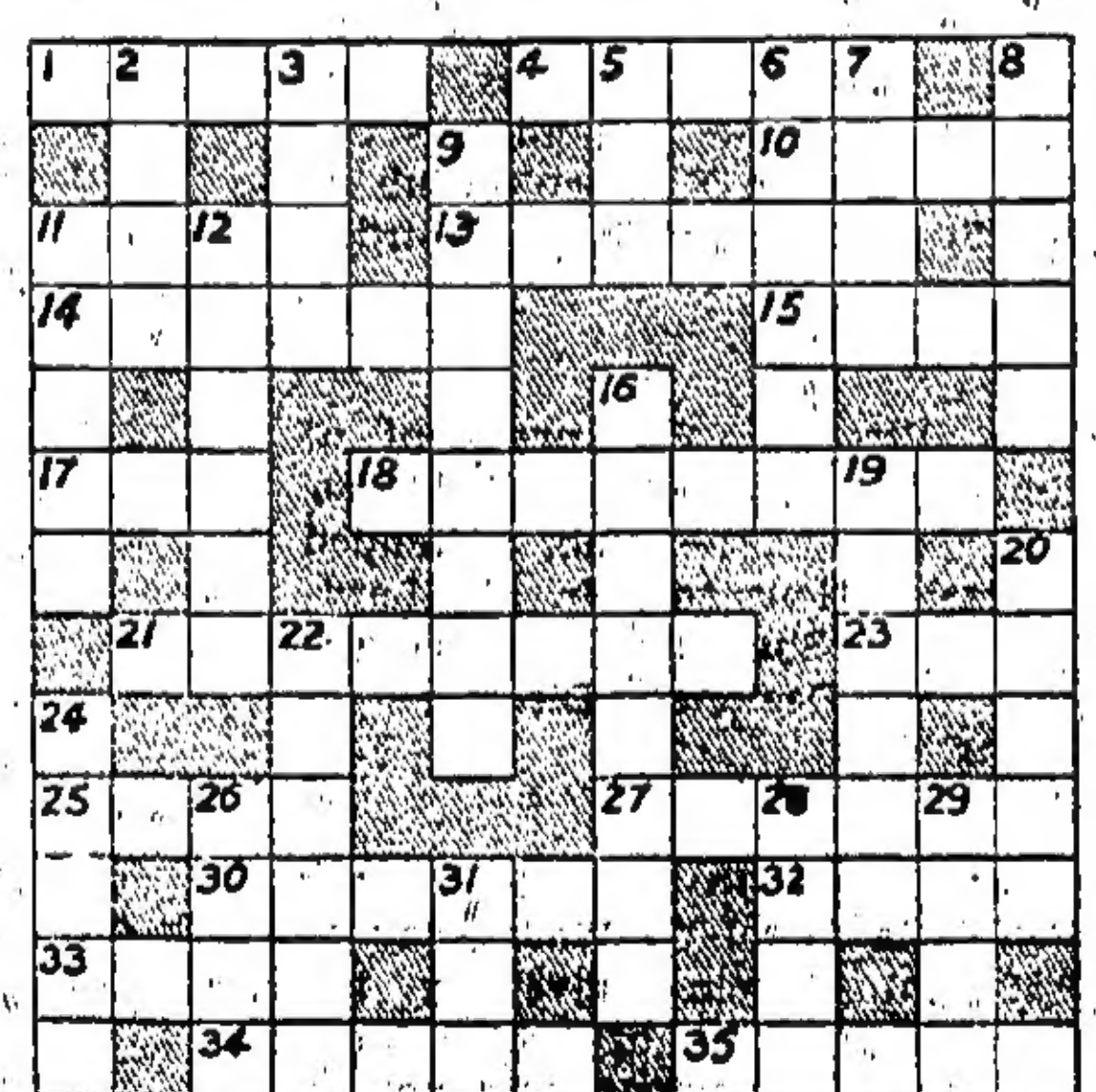
CROSSWORD NO. 175

ACROSS

- 1 Willness (5)
- 4 Crawl (5)
- 10 As well (4)
- 11 Gem (4)
- 13 Hire (6)
- 14 Clergyman (6)
- 15 Young animal (4)
- 17 Australian bird (3)
- 18 Menace (8)
- 21 Protection (8)
- 23 Drinking vessel (3)
- 25 Detest (4)
- 27 Harken to (6)
- 30 Dull (6)
- 32 Warmth (4)
- 33 Putrid (4)
- 34 Trappings (5)
- 35 Backbone (5)

DOWN

- 2 Cable (4)



- 3 Experienced (4)
- 5 Floor cover (3)
- 6 Young eagle (6)
- 7 Excuse (4)
- 8 Dullard (5)
- 9 Trader (8)
- 11 Command (5)
- 12 Charge (6)
- 16 Showed (8)
- 19 Arouse (6)
- 20 Exhausted (5)
- 22 Weak (6)
- 24 Chimney (5)
- 26 Journey (4)
- 28 Store (4)
- 29 Gain by work (4)
- 31 Vase (3)

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

Solution No. 174

SOLUTION—Across: 1. Crutch, 4. Robust, 7. Enclosure, 9. Colt, 10. Ends, 11. Reply, 13. Stinner, 14. Tokens, 15. Placid, 17. Stated, 19. Teach, 20. Beet, 22. File, 23. Direction, 24. Expect, 25. Humbly, Down: 1. Cracks, 2. Tint, 3. Halber, 4. Result, 5. Bore, 6. Trusts, 7. Elongated, 8. Entertain, 11. Remit, 12. Youth, 15. Pebble, 16. Defeat, 17. Scotch, 18. Dairy, 21. Five, 22. Form.

Sunday Special Solution

SOLUTION—Across: 4. Special, 8. Create, 9. Posture, 11. Tripod, 14. Pot, 15. Valet, 17. Cling, 18. Lean, 19. Brake, 21. Pairs, 25. Curls, 26. Leap, 27. Chief, 28. Lower, 30. Rm., 32. Nature, 33. Gambler, 34. Debate, 35. Asinine, Down: 1. Scuttle, 2. Revival, 3. Stool, 5. Prop, 6. Cattle, 7. Airing, 10. Socks, 12. Pan, 13. Debar, 16. Trill, 20. Arson, 21. Pupil, 22. Perusal, 23. Spheres, 24. Cheats, 25. Carbon, 26. Lot, 29. Waver, 31. Mean.

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ORDINANCE

Infanticide Offence Amendment

The "Government Gazette" contains the draft of a Bill intituled an Ordinance to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, 1899.

Be it enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, thereof, as follows:—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Criminal Procedure Amendment Ordinance, 1938.

2. The Criminal Procedure Ordinance, 1899, is amended by the substitution of the following section for section 77A thereof:—
77A.—(1) Where a woman by any wilful act or omission causes the death of her child being a child under the age of twelve months, but at the time of the act or omission the balance of her mind was disturbed by reason of her not having fully recovered from the effect of giving birth to the child or by reason of the effect of lactation consequent upon the birth of the child, then, notwithstanding that the circumstances were such that but for the provisions of this section the offence would have amounted to murder, she shall be guilty of felony, to wit of infanticide, and may for such offence be dealt with and punished as if she had been guilty of the offence of manslaughter of the child.

(2) Where upon the trial of a woman for the murder of her child, being a child under the age of twelve months, the jury are of opinion that she by any wilful act or omission caused its death, but that at the time of the act or omission the balance of her mind was disturbed by reason of her not having fully recovered from the effect of giving birth to the child or by reason of the effect of lactation consequent upon the birth of the child, then the jury may, notwithstanding that the circumstances were such that but for the provisions of this section they might have returned a verdict of murder, return in lieu thereof a verdict of infanticide.

(3) Nothing in this section shall affect the power of the jury upon an indictment for the murder of a child to return a verdict of concealment of birth, in pursuance of section 49 of the Offences against the Persons Ordinance, 1885, except that for the purposes of the proviso to that section a child shall be deemed to have recently been born if it had been born within twelve months before its death.

(4) The said section 49 shall also apply in the case of the acquittal of a woman upon an indictment for infanticide as it applies upon the acquittal of a woman upon an indictment for murder.

OBJECTS AND REASONS

1. Clause 2 of this Bill enacts in section 77A of the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, No. 9 of 1899, the provisions of section 1 of the Infanticide Act, 1938, (1 & 2 Geo. 5, c. 36) in substitution for the provisions of section 1 of the Infanticide Act, 1922, (12 & 13 Geo. 5, c. 18).

CARNIVAL DANCE AT PENINSULA

The Chief and Petty Officers Recreation Rooms, H. M. Dockyard, Hongkong, will hold a Carnival Dance at the Peninsula Hotel on to-night from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. The price of admission for gentlemen is \$1, ladies by invitation. The dance music will be provided by the band of H.M.S. Dorsetshire. Tickets may be obtained from the Manager of the Dockyard Club.

OVER 20,000 REFUGEES IN CHANGSHA

Changsha, Dec. 3.
Registration of refugees in Changsha caused by the disastrous fire on November 17 has been completed.

It shows that there are altogether 24,921 refugees. Among them only 2,250 have some sort of lodging while 22,671 are homeless. In addition, there are 150 orphans who are now in care of the government.—Central News.

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CINEMA SHOWS TO AID RELIEF

Under the auspices of the Rotary Club, special programmes are being shown at the King's Theatre on Wednesday in aid of the refugees.

A different film will be shown at each show: Shirley Temple in "Littlest Rebel" at 2:30 George Arliss in "House of Rothschild" at 5:10, Wallace Beery in "Treasure Island" at 7:15 and Grace Moore in "When You're in Love" at 9:30 p.m. All receipts will be donated to the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China.

OVERSEAS DONATIONS

Kunming, Dec. 3.
Approximately \$100,000,000 has been donated by overseas Chinese to the National Government since the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese hostilities, according to Mr. Chow Chi-kang, Vice-Chairman of the Overseas Affairs Commission, who arrived here from Hongkong via French Indo-China on Thursday. In addition, large quantities of medicine for wounded soldiers and refugees have been contributed by them, Mr. Chow added. Full support, Mr. Chow stated, is pledged by the overseas Chinese to the National Government for continued resistance to Japan.—Central News.

WOMEN'S PAGE

VARIETY IN FASHIONS SEEN AT VALLEY

BY ROZANNE

Weather deceives us. Warm clothes worn now seem practically a mockery, but anyway the winter fashions gives us plenty of variety even if the seasons have gone wrong. High shoulders, braid, toning of unusual colours, odd jewellery and fur trimmings were noticeable points at the race gathering on Saturday.

Black still stays popular in spite of the many varied new shades. A pattern of parallel lines woven in gold on the bolero of Miss Mellor's black outfit was catching to the eye. Mrs. Seth's hat, black, to match her caped ensemble, had a touch of Spanish, with its wide brim dipping in front. Mrs. Alexander, also in black, swathed her waist with a broad sky-blue silk sash and sported one of the new very high crowned coal-scuttle hats. Touches of blue adorned Mrs. Ram's black suit and cute tricorn headgear. Tres chic was the tight fitting white jacket which Mrs. Hall wore.

Mrs. Groves and Mrs. Stennesson both favoured tricorn, choosing French blue and navy respectively, an unusual touch on Mrs. Stennesson's being the tight veil, while Mrs. Dicken perched a tiny bow at each corner of a green one.

UNUSUAL TONING

An unusual toning of colours was chosen by Miss Johanna Reeve—magenta suede bag, cap and wide belt on a soft pine green. Another striking get-up was worn by Miss Betty Fair. I was particularly taken by the warm rust, high-crowned hat, with its jaunty feather. Quite the most exciting pattern of red gold tinsel was woven in Mrs. Dobb's frock, and it glinted in the sun as did the scattered gold spots on Mrs. Johansson's wine bordered dress. The new shoulder line was well shown by Mrs. Helbert's green frock—smocked on the flat of the shoulder the outer edge rose to a tall point.

Brown was also popular. Mrs. Don Evans wore a three-quarter length coat with her brown ensemble, big sleeves being the outstanding feature. Brown lace and furs were chosen by Mrs. Irwin. Mrs. Murray's curling bronze feathers on a high crowned hat gave the perfect finishing touch to a simple severely cut brown coat and frock.

ASTRAKHAN IN VOGUE

Astrakhan sleeves and collar were quite the vogue as shown in Miss Claire Dunn's grey coat frock—wine hat and gloves, bag and shoes toned delightfully. The whirling pattern, effected in braid of a deeper shade of blue than the frock won admiration for Mrs. Biggar's frock. Quite a gay cosier air was given by the check tan worn by Mrs. Godley. This matched the material of her suit and was placed on one side of the head in a saucy way. A large wine stiff feather flaunted itself in Mrs. Stout's blueish green hat, the crown of which was rounded and flattened. A new style this! Miss Betty Pestonji was in keeping with St. Andrew's with a gay tartan skirt and sleeves. The bodice and wide joining belt were in a deep green to tone with the matching felt hat.

Round About

A mother and her little daughter were shopping, busy inspecting and selecting gifts for Christmas. The child kept very quiet, but delivered her opinion decisively when called upon to pass judgment on different items.

The mother, who wore a blue tailored suit with matching accessories and a black fox scarf about her neck, was pictured identically, except for the fox, in the youngster dressed in a blue suit, with her blonde curls falling about her shoulders.

They finished their shopping and were about to leave the store when the child's mother turned and led the way to the children's clothing section. Her request to the saleswoman was for a blue beret, to fit the little girl, who at that point was looking intently at a muff and scarf of white fur in a show case.

The beret was produced, tried on and bought. The little girl thanked her mother but asked to see the fur. Trying them on, she inquired if she could have them.

"Just why do you want furs and what would you do with them," asked the parent.

"Well, Mother, you have a nice doggy to keep your neck warm. Why shouldn't I have this little puppy for mine?"

WEDDING AT REGISTRY



Mr. Jonathan Hurst and his bride, formerly Miss Elizabeth Morrison Wells, photographed after their marriage at the Registry, Supreme Court, on Saturday morning. (Photo, Z. Z. Chang).

NEWSETTES

The first public performance of the opera "Ruddigore" by the Hongkong Philharmonic Society will take place at the Queen's Theatre on December 14. The final dress rehearsal will be held at the same place at 9.20 p.m. on Tuesday, December 13.

Dr. J. S. H. Scott has been appointed lieutenant in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Pte. J. M. M. Alves has been appointed second lieutenant in the Hongkong Volunteer Corps.

A special Carol Service will be held at the European Y. M. C. A. on Christmas evening at 9 p.m.

A dance for the services will be held to-night at the European Y. M. C. A., commencing at 9 p.m.

Miss Dorothy Mary Cavill has been appointed assistant mistress (kindergarten) in the Hongkong Education Department.

Major R. D. Walker, M.C., manager and chief engineer of the Kowloon-Canton Railway (British section) resumed duty on Friday.

Mr. M. J. Reldy, assistant veterinary surgeon, Urban Council, returned to Hongkong yesterday from long leave spent in Australia.

Capt. A. B. Whatman, member of the Oxford University Arctic Expedition 1935/36, will give a lantern lecture at the European Y. M. C. A. on Sunday next at 9 p.m.

An interesting Guest Morning has been planned by the Women's Section of the European Y. M. C. A. for Thursday, the charge to which is 20 cents a person.

On November 30, the s.s. Apocry grounded and refloated in shoal water in the approaches to the Hainan Straits Middle Channel in a position approximately lat. 20deg. 16ft. N. and long. 110deg. 53ft. E.

Mr. Tang Kam-fai, who has been in charge of Y.M.C.A. war work with the Cantonese troops in the Ninth War Zone, will address the meeting of the Y's Men's Club at the St. Francis Hotel on Thursday at 1 p.m.

Mr. Peter H. Sin, president of the Hongkong Y's Men's Club, has, on behalf of the Club, extended congratulations to Mr. Y. Lewis Mason, of Shanghai, on his election as Regional Director for China.

The dance to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Wednesday at 8.30 p.m. is being given by the Ships' Companies of H.M.S. Medway and Submarine, and not by the Officers of the Medway, as announced. The music will be supplied by the Submarine Flotilla Dance Band.

DRAWINGS BOUGHT FOR NATION

London, Dec. 4. A set of 17 wood cuts and pencil drawings on wood by William Blake, the poet, has been bought for presentation to national collections. They were knocked down to a representative of the National Art Collections Fund for £661 at Christie's on Friday—British Wireless.

LORD RANFURLY

The engagement was announced recently of the Earl of Ranfurly and Miss Hermione Llewellyn, eldest daughter of Mr. G. R. P. Llewellyn, of Princetown, Devon, and Mrs. Llewellyn. Lord Ranfurly, who is 25, succeeded to the title in 1933.

MONDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Applesauce
Corn Flakes
Liver and Bacon
Toasted Raisin Bread
Cocoa

LUNCHEON

Cream of Tomato Soup
Salmon Salad
Chicken a la King
Potato Cakes with Onion
Sugar Peas
Cauliflower au Gratin
Rutabard with Cookies
Tea

DINNER

Fruit Cup
Cream of Pea Soup
Lettuce Salad with Cheese Dressing
Roast Duck
Apple Fritters
Turnips and Mashed Potatoes
Butter Sauce
Pumpkin Pie
Coffee

PREMIER'S OLD SHIRT FOR U.S.

Mrs. Neville Chamberlain stated recently that an American wants one of her husband's old shirts—and is going to get it.

She was visiting the exhibition of home crafts by members of Women's Institutes, now being held at the New Horticultural Hall, Westminster.

Mrs. Chamberlain was told that the members of the Bunting-in-Somerset Women's Institute wanted to make a patchwork quilt from shirts belonging to Cabinet Ministers.

Asked if there was any hope of an old shirt of the Prime Minister's, Mrs. Chamberlain laughed and replied, "I do not know about that. You see, he has already received a request from America for one of his shirts and if it gets about that would be no end to it."

"Why, he would very soon have I am giving away his clothes, there are clothes left!"



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OFFICERS, RATINGS OF LADYBIRD DECORATED

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CHINESE STEWARD GETS D.S.M.

London, Dec. 2. DECORATIONS CONFERRED on officers and ratings of the Royal Navy for Gallantry and resource at the time of the bombing attack by Japanese planes on British shipping at Wuhu last December and gazetted to-night.

The recipients include Captain E. M. O'Donnell, lately Chief Staff Officer to the Rear-Admiral Yangtze and Lieut-Commander L. D. Barlow, commander of H.M.S. Ladybird, who receive the D.S.O.

Capt. O'Donnell was on board the Ladybird and though painfully wounded in the right hand he placed himself under the orders of the commanding officer when the helmsman was hit and took the wheel himself. Shortly afterwards, with no regard for his own safety or his injury, he landed among the hostile soldiery and proceeded to shore to headquarters to protest.

Lt.-Cdr. Barlow was slightly wounded and acted with promptitude and decision on handling his ship ably and fearlessly.

In addition, Lieut-Commander J. C. M. Ashby received the O.B.E., Mr. J. W. M. Hurst, Admiralty pilot, is given the Distinguished Service Cross and Yeung Chang-kai, officers' steward, the Distinguished Service Medal.

Mr. Hurst, by his fearless handling of the tug Chanyung, in which he was assisted by Yeung Chang-kai, made possible the rescue of the s.s. Tachow from a difficult and dangerous situation.

Ratings who receive the O.B.E. Medal for meritorious service are: Chief Engineer Arthur Brook and Petty Officer Hawkins both of the Ladybird.—British Wireless.

QUEENIE AT THE GLOUCESTER

Saturday night at the Gloucester Roof with Queenie and her jolly band of Hawaiian entertainers and the Lambeth Walk thrown in for good measure, was a grand success.

Everybody present voted it a fine evening, but Victor Labium, local amateur entertainer, had the best time of all, being selected by one of Queenie's proteges, as her foil in an unrehearsed number.

Queenie was in her best form and the other members of the party also gave of their best.

ARMED ROBBERY IN PINGSHAN

MAN BITTEN BY YOUNG GIRL

A hut in Pingshan, New Territories, was entered and the inmates robbed by several armed men recently. The intruders are believed to be Chinese soldiers who retained possession of arms and ammunition on crossing the frontier into British Territory.

One man has since been detained and another, who had a piece of his hand bitten off by a young girl during the robbery, is being sought by the police.

It is reported that two strangers entered the hut of one Fung Hung, at night. One of the men, who had a revolver, struck her on the head as she attempted to cry out for help while the other, who was holding Fung's daughter, was bitten by the girl. They eventually succeeded in escaping with \$50.

TRYING TO AVOID COLLISION!

A fine of \$10 was imposed on Saburo Sugimoto, a Japanese, when he appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday charged with riding a bicycle without due care and caution.

Sugimoto said he was trying to avoid a collision with a motor car coming from behind.

Mr. W. E. Hollands, of the P. W. D., said he saw defendant driving on the pavement near Luard Road.

CHINESE DANCERS' ASSCN. DANCE

A dance was held at the Metropole Hotel yesterday afternoon given by the Chinese Dancers' Association composed of quite a number of Chinese dancing schools.

About 180 persons attended and the pupils from the different schools gave exhibitions. Music was provided by the Hotel orchestra.

The Metropole Hotel has started tea and dinner dances which should prove extremely popular.

ST. PAUL'S BAZAAR OPENED



Mrs. N. L. Smith speaking after she had declared open the St. Paul's School bazaar on Saturday. On the right is Mr. J. M. Wong. (Photo: A. A. Kahn).

PROOF OF DEBT ISSUE IN BANKRUPTCY

Roberts Case Echo Continued At Supreme Court

The case, arising out of the A. H. Roberts bankruptcy, which has been described as the Official Receiver versus the Indian Money-lenders, was continued before His Honour the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. R. E. Lindsell, in Bankruptcy Court on Saturday.

The issue arose in connection with the bankruptcy of A. H. Roberts, trading as the Victoria Printing Press, and Saturday's proceedings concerned the non-compliance of Katar Singh, one of the judgment creditors, to furnish particulars of the debt owing to him.

The Official Receiver applied for a writ of *compulsio processuum* against Katar Singh, who was ordered to furnish particulars of the debt owing to him.

In 1920, sales were \$55,200.68, and on July 31, 1932, the difference of assets and liabilities was \$20,624.60.

Witnesses stated that he considered that 6 per cent monthly interest on \$1,300 (the sum which Roberts guaranteed for the late Mr. J. M. Hall) was high, and considered that the reduced 3 per cent per month on the same sum was also high. Taking Roberts' position into consideration, he considered that between 10 and 12 per cent interest per annum would have been fair.

The case then adjourned.

The Official Receiver argued that he had followed the English Law which explicitly forbids him to question a judgment debt. He could not consider whether a contract was harsh or improper.

Mr. Andrews contended that he had no right to reject a judgment, and must come back to the Court to ask for the debt to be rejected, as the Court alone had power to decide whether a contract was improper, and then grant or dismiss his application.

Mr. Justice Lindsell held that the Court had jurisdiction, and allowed the Official Receiver to proceed.

Evidence was then given by Mr. J. H. Seth, senior partner of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth, and Fleming, who said that he audited the books of the Victoria Printing Press between January 1, 1919, and July 31, 1932. Roberts was the sole proprietor and witness had known him for 13 years.

The books audited last were for the period between January 1, 1928, and July 31, 1932. During that period the profits were \$50,443.69, of which Roberts' share was \$40,354.95.

Irrespective of profits, Roberts drew a salary of \$600 per month. During the same period sales were \$77,000 per year. Witness considered that the business was built up.

Mr. Fitzroy, instructed by Mr. C. A. S. Russ, opposed the application, claiming that the Court had no jurisdiction. The Court, Counsel maintained, had jurisdiction over the case only after proof of debt had either been admitted or rejected by the Official Receiver.

Then either side could apply to the Court for the case to be reopened.

At present, continued Counsel, the Official Receiver had neither rejected nor admitted the proof, therefore there was no proof before the Court to be considered.

Mr. Fitzroy quoted several authorities.

The case then adjourned.

S.P.C.A. FLAG DAY

The Sale of Flags on behalf of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on Saturday, November 25, last realised \$1,569.49. Of this sum \$951.74 was collected in Hongkong, the following being the amounts of the highest collectors:—Miss Yuxal \$68.70; Mrs. Gerrard \$40.80; Miss Wong Chai Yee \$31.49 and Miss Ma Lai Lau \$30.59. Mrs. Dicken was in charge of the organisation for Hongkong. Kowloon Sales under Mrs. Smalley amounted to \$617.75 but details of individual collections are not available. The Hongkong S.P.C.A. extends warmest thanks to all those ladies who gave so much of their time, and to all those who so kindly contributed, thus enabling the Flag Day to be successful.

The Hon. Treasurer also wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions towards the Society's funds:—

Capt. S. M. Kharegat, I.M.S., \$25; D. Davies, \$30; W. Wattle, \$10.

FUNERAL OF MRS. B. ECA DA SILVA

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bertha Eca da Silva, widow of the late Mr. F. F. Eca da Silva, who passed away at the Queen Mary Hospital on Saturday after a long illness, took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery yesterday.

Father R. Della Nina conducted the service at the graveside. The principal mourners were Mrs. F. Danenberg, sister of the deceased, Mr. A. F. B. Silva-Netto, brother, Messrs. Roy and Carlos Danenberg, nephews, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Silva-Netto, Jr., and Mr. J. Eca da Silva.

Among the many people present were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Castro, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carvalho, Mr. and Mrs. Leo D'Almada e Castro, Sr., Mrs. P. M. N. da Silva, Mr. A. C. Botelho, Mrs. E. D. da Rosa, Mr. E. Remedios, Mr. and Mrs. G. Clarke, Mr. E. Pariani, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mrs. G. Jorge, Mr. F. M. P. Graca, Mr. F. H. Barnes, Mr. J. M. Graca, Mr. C. D'Almada and Mr. M. Franco.

A wreath from Elsa (Mrs. Elsa Mody, daughter, now in London) was buried with the coffin.

Wreaths were also sent by Riddo and Kenno; Madge and family; Antonio and Marie; Bice, Bianca and Roy; Ena; Mimi; An Old Friend; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. J. Simpson; Mrs. E. Aplets and Betty; Mr. and the Misses Ezra; Mr. and Mrs. Leo D'Almada; Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Engelbrecht; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cunha; Mr. E. B. David; Virginia Akitt, and others.

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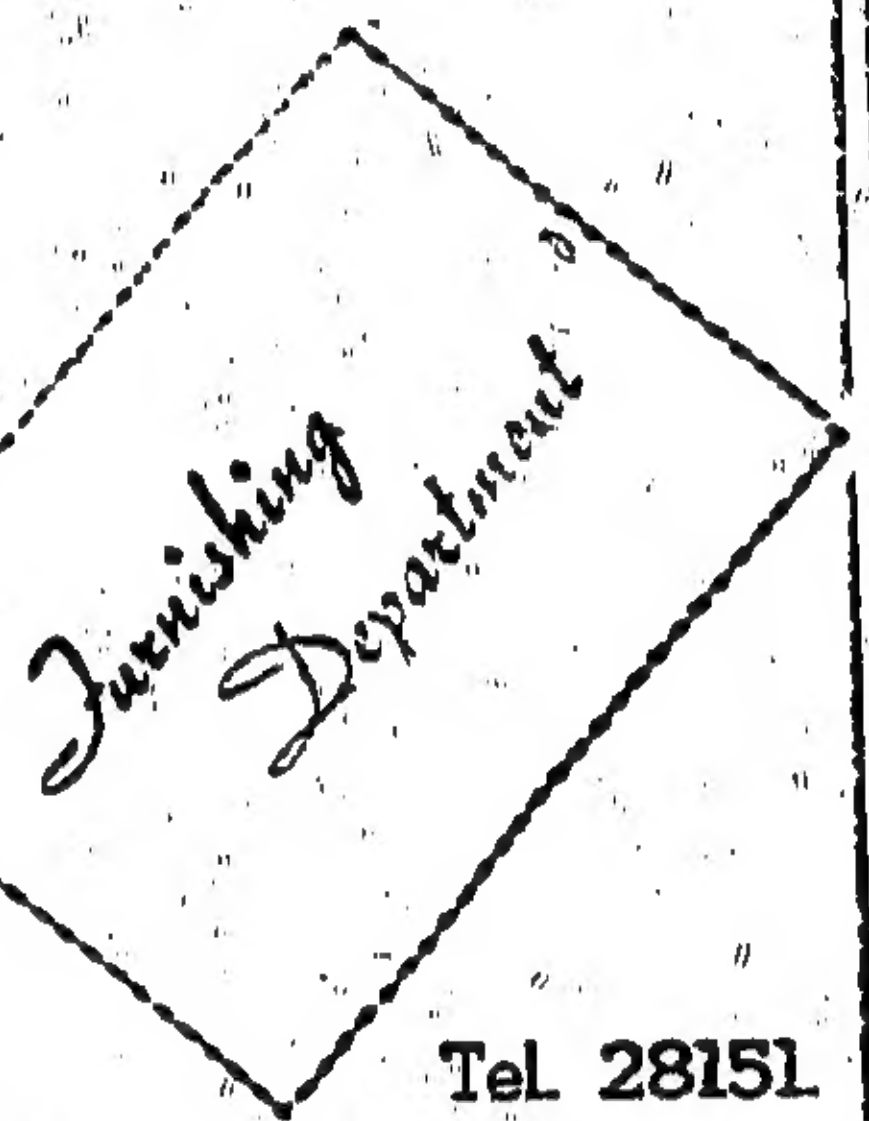
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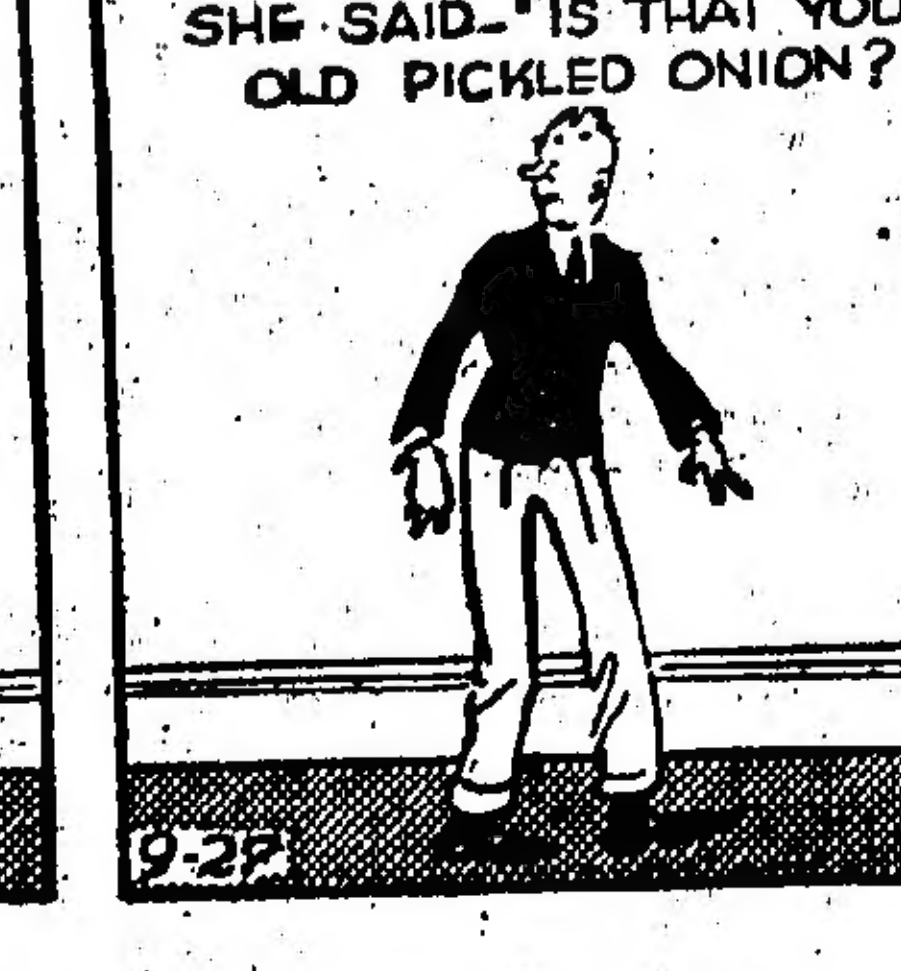
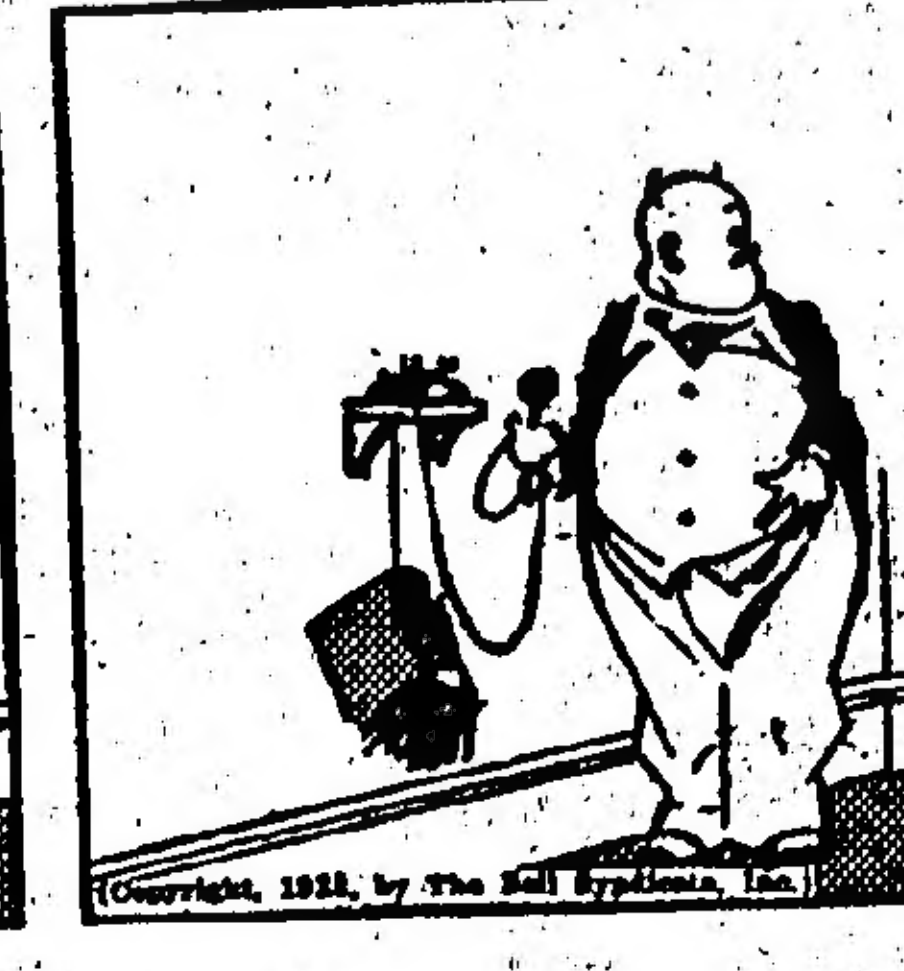
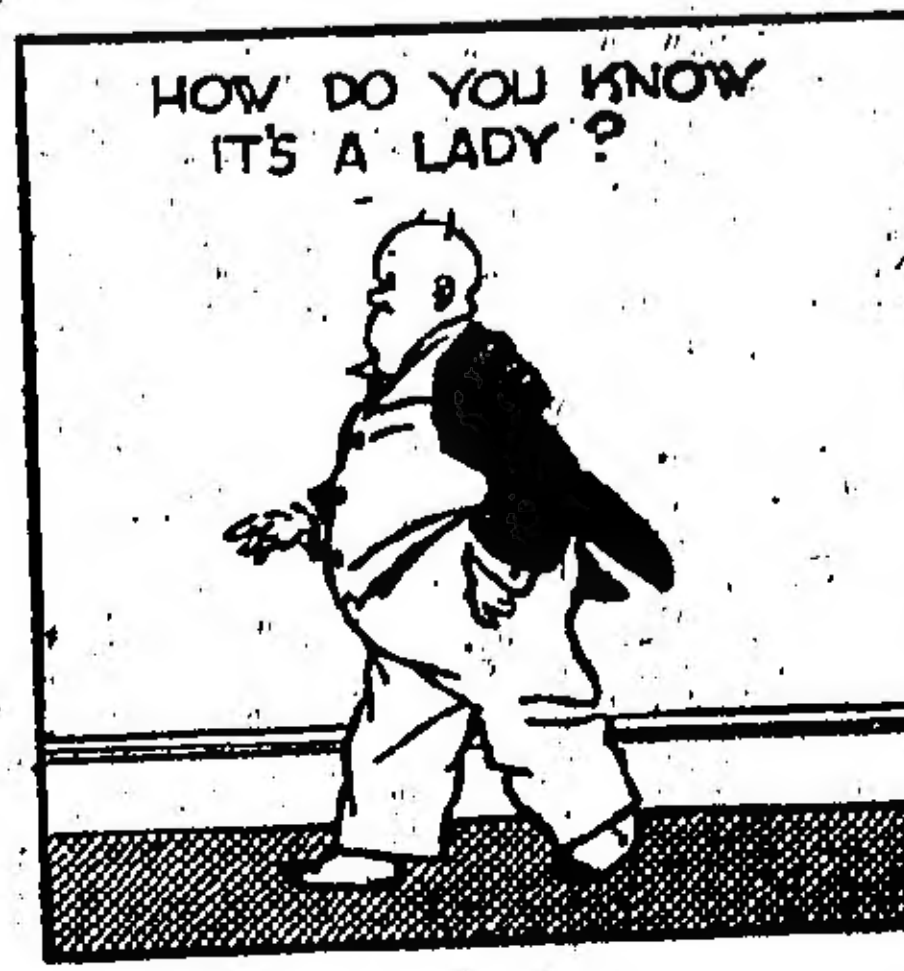
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POPE'S PROTEST

WHILE THE PERSECUTION of the Jews in Germany continues to arouse deep hostility in foreign countries, the anti-Semitic measures recently passed by the Italian Fascist Government are arousing internal, and therefore more serious, opposition.

THE POPE, whose dislike of racial discrimination has been openly and boldly expressed from time to time, has officially protested against one particular decree which is declared to be a breach of the 1929 Concordat between the Roman Catholic Church and the State in Italy.

BY THIS DECREE, Italian citizens of the "Aryan race" are forbidden to enter into marriage with persons of another race—including Jews. But by Article 34 of the Concordat, marriages solemnized by the Roman Catholic Church are valid in Italy without any further civil ceremony or permit; and the Church, while not encouraging mixed marriages, does not forbid them. Therefore, a marriage between an Italian and a Jew might now be sanctioned by the Church but declared invalid by the State—a clear breach of the Concordat.

QUITE APART from the principle involved, the dispute is interesting because it has been made known that His Holiness the Pope addressed letters in his own hand both to Signor Benito Mussolini and to the King of Italy in an attempt to prevent the passage of the decree—but without success.

THIS DIRECT REBUTT to the Church can hardly fail to have some effect in Italy, and it will be interesting to see whether or not the decree may yet be modified or repealed.

NOTHING is more remarkable in the history of Fascism in Germany and Italy than the way in which the Roman Catholic Church, in spite of its fear of Communism and its sympathy with the INTO doctrine of anti-Communism, has shown a turn for the better after giving cause for great concern. In view of his advanced age, for the Pontiff is now 81 years old.

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HELPING REFUGEES TO PAY
THEIR OWN WAY

HONGKONG, DECEMBER 4th, 1938.

A SIGNIFICANT POINT was raised by Miss Anna Ginsburg in the course of an article which she contributed to the "Hongkong Daily Press" last Wednesday when she dealt at some length with the plight of the many refugees at present in Hongkong.

Pointing out that the situation which the Colony is at the present time facing is reminiscent of that which Shanghai had to meet last autumn, when thousands of poverty-stricken Chinese people sought refuge in the limited area of the International Settlement and the French Concession and depended upon the combined efforts of Chinese and foreign charity organizations for means of subsistence, Miss Ginsburg expressed the belief that Shanghai's experience may prove beneficial to Hongkong in certain respects as the Hongkong Government is not in a position to meet the sudden mass influx of these destitute by offering them shelter and food in the already overcrowded city.

After several weeks of commotion and disorganization, the body in charge of the Shanghai refugee relief started to work on the question of making the refugees self-supporting in order that they could maintain their self-respect instead of depending entirely upon the charity of their fellow-men to keep them and their families together. No opportunity to secure instructors in crafts and trades was neglected and, apart from public volunteers, many of the refugees themselves were encouraged to act as teachers.

By this means, a nucleus of the Refugee Instruction Centre was formed, and instruction was given in petty crafts, such as basket-making, etc. The improvised classes grew in number and the whole outlook in life of the refugees was changed when the products of their newly-acquired skill (for to many of them the trades were entirely new) began to bring them a small income. With new interests introduced into their miserable and painful memories, they showed a marked improvement in disposition and demeanour and even became self-supporting to a considerable degree. At the end of a few months, certain of the refugee camps were run almost entirely by the occupants themselves under expert guidance.

The arrangement of Refugee Exhibitions and Fairs, combined with propaganda for the widespread sale of refugees' products, formed the most important feature in the scheme, such exhibition-fairs usually proving very popular and bringing in substantial funds, with little expense involved. At the exhibitions were given demonstrations of the process of practising various crafts, such as toy-making, basket-weaving, knitting, etc., by refugees, mostly children, who enjoyed this opportunity to display their skill.

So far as we know, Hongkong has not had a Refugee Exhibition-Fair but it is quite possible that the Emergency Refugee Council will take this matter up in the not distant future.

The Emergency Refugee Council, it is pleasing to note, is seriously tackling the question of giving work to refugees at the Kam Tin Camp. The committee was asked recently by Father Ryan, who is Administrator of the Camp, to endorse the payment of 34 cents worth of extra food a day to refugees who do voluntary work about the Camp. Though it is the Emergency Relief Council's policy to pay refugees only for work done out of the proceeds of the sale of goods made in the Camp and not to make such payments out of general funds, the Camp Administrator's suggestion should be endorsed owing to the difficulty of starting craft work in a camp of the transitory nature of Kam Tin, where there is no accommodation for workshops. The committee also decided that the Government should strongly be urged to pay the refugees for the sanitary work which they are doing in place of the sanitary coolies formerly employed at the camp.

In conclusion, it is of interest to note that the Chinese people are taking a keen interest in the refugee problem. That they are donating generously is evidenced by the announcement that Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, Chairman of the National Relief Council, who was formerly Ambassador to Japan, has given a donation of \$50,000. Let us hope that they will continue to give freely.

COMPLAINANT AND
DEFENDANT

Ngai Ho, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour and recommended for banishment by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday when he was found guilty on a charge of stealing a purse from Sticker Petty Officer F. H. Carnell, H. M. S. Eagle.

It was alleged that after picking complainant's pocket defendant jumped into a rickshaw in an attempt to escape but was arrested by Chief Petty Officer A. J. Bruce and Able Seaman Haines after a chase.

Carnell was defendant in an assault case. He was fined \$25 for striking a Chinese Detective in the Police Station during the investigation into the pick-pocket case.

RAINFALL

The monthly rainfall for the Hongkong Botanic Gardens gives a total of 56 inches. Rain fell on only three days, namely, 6th, 9th and 10th.

observers were forced to take a grave view of his illness. Now that the good news has come that he has improved, the hope is a united one that his recovery will be speedy and lasting.

MEANWHILE, the anti-Jewish campaign continues unabated in the Reich and has spread to Rumania. In the former country, three more synagogues have been desecrated and burnt.

POGROMS on the grounds that CONTINUE "they constitute a danger to the public." All indications point to the possibility that the pogroms will spread even further.

ONE CANNOT but feel sorry for the youthful Polish Jew Grynszpan whose rash action led to the death of the German diplomat von Rath and, subsequently, to the anti-Jewish outbreaks in Germany after hearing the distressing tale he told before the examining magistrates in Paris, but, however much one may sympathize with him, one cannot condone his terrible action. He has expressed his regret at causing the death of a fellow man. Will the German Government express similar regret to the Jews?

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SGT. TERRETT
BETTERVictim Of Early
Morning Shooting

Detective-Sergeant H. R. Terrett, of the Hongkong Police, who was shot by a Chinese, alleged to be one S. L. Wong, early on Saturday morning, was still in a critical condition yesterday morning, according to an inquiry made at the Queen Mary Hospital.

The European officer was shot in the neck while carrying out investigations regarding some accounts which were alleged to have been owing by Wong, for which purpose he had been taken to the second floor of the Wing On Bank building by the latter.

"Sergeant Terrett's condition is about the same. He is very cheery this morning and if anything is slightly better." That was the information obtained from Queen Mary Hospital yesterday morning.

No attempt has yet been made to remove the bullet which passed through the collar bone and is lodged in the neck.

Circumstances of the shooting have not yet been fully established as the victim has not been able to make any statement.

It is revealed, however, that soon after the three shots were fired by his assailant, alleged to be a Shanghai Chinese, S. L. Wong, who was later arrested at the Luk Kwok Hotel, Wanchai, Sgt. Terrett was found on a landing of the Wing On Banking Corporation premises, propped up against the wall, bleeding badly.

SIX-HOUR SEARCH The Indian constable who found him, assisted Terrett to the ground floor, engaged a car from Fort Hong and sent him to the Queen Mary Hospital, afterwards communicating with the Central Police Station.

Prominent members of the C.I.D. including A.S.P. Bidmead, A.S.P. Heath, and Inspector Roseberry and Chief Inspector J. Fenwick were called out and six hours later, S. L. Wong was arrested in Wanchai.

He was traced as the result

of a telephone call made from Central Police Station, where he had been taken late on Friday evening on a complaint by the Gloucester Hotel.

Hello & Goodbye

—BY A.W. HYER—

Boats and planes these days mean one thing—Mail! The whole world is getting set for Christmas and everybody about here is in a dither!

Midst sniffling and sneezes, typhoons and earthquakes we have been trying to keep this travel business in hand.

Imperial Airways are speeding up their service for the Christmas mails.

Boats come trudging in late complaining of bad weather and heavy seas. And the China National Aviation Corporation and the Eurasia Aviation Corporation (a plane apiece of each company arrived last week) are still on a mystery time-table.

Therefore, all this mail from north, south, east and west will get here, but with it many people are passing in and out of our port.

fan-American Airways

SATURDAY, 12.30 P.M. Capt. K. Beer put his China Clipper down on the water at Kai Tak. Many Colonyites were out to have a look at the performance of this smart craft and to welcome the large group of passengers disembarking.

The most outstanding passenger was Mr. C. T. Wang, former Chinese Ambassador to America. He appeared quite pleased with his air journey from the States, and though cordial and charming to the many friends and relatives out to greet him he had few words for those "press devils" who hound passengers.

After a short visit in Hongkong, Mr. Wang will travel to North China. Boat or plane route he could not say; and regarding his future work or missions, well, he just smiled!

The interesting and quiet voice, Dr. George Sellitt returned from a week's business visit in Manila. A few days visit then he heads back to Shanghai and his heavy business affairs.

Number one, smiling, commuter Mr. W. D. Pawley, of Intercontinental Corporation, flew back to his home port via the Clipper. But you can't keep him down. An Tuesday morning he leaves for Rangoon, via Imperial Airways. He certainly is our busy flying business man!

Miss Edna Cadenhead, secretary to Mr. Pawley, enjoyed her return trip on the plane, but going down to Manila was another story. It was bumpy! Know what that feeling is, however, her first Clipper journey was wonderful, she said.

Now, young ladies in this Colony, calm yourselves! Two of the best looking males let loose out of the United States in a long time arrived from those shores on this "clipper ship." Mr. John Potter and Mr. Robert Chase. These tall, handsome young men from the college of Dartmouth were greeted by Mr. Richard Halliburton, on whose junk they will act as crew across the Pacific Ocean to the San Francisco Fair. "About the beginning of the year, Mr. Halliburton expects to be ready to hoist sails and away from Hongkong for America."

Miss Lydia Longmiller, from Manila, was met at the jetty-side by a tall gentleman and away he whisked her in his car down the Kai Tak road before we had more than a good look at this young, fair lady!

Manila To America

HEADING FOR HER home port, went the China Clipper on Sunday at 8.45 a.m.

U.S.A. bound are Mr. Jesse Waterman and Mr. C. Bertrand, the latter connected with Pan-American Airways, and bound for Manila, was Mr. J. E. Perkins, of the Paramount Films of China, who stopped by on his way from Shanghai.

Mr. P. T. Ruys and Mr. T. Y. Sim, other passengers, were accompanied by eight Chinese passengers all excited and interested over the coming air journey to the south.

Hakusan Maru

SHANGHAI AND JAPAN bound late on Saturday, this comfortable vessel was of interest to many Colony members who came out to the buoy for the goodbyes.

Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Birt, have been visiting a few days in the Colony. Friends were at Kai Tak

of a telephone call made from Central Police Station, where he had been taken late on Friday evening on a complaint by the Gloucester Hotel.

When his room at the Luk Kwok Hotel was raided, police obtaining entry by a ruse and rushing in with drawn revolvers, a .32 automatic pistol was found concealed in the bedclothes, having recently been fired.

DELIA of Imperial Airways' plane, departed from Kai Tak on Saturday at 7 a.m.

Captain H. B. Collins piloted Mr. J. C. Johnson and Mr. A. C. Lambert down to Bangkok. These two

DEMOCRACY IN CHINA SERIES—1

NATIONAL DEMOCRACY
ON LARGE SCALEMajor Task For Present
Chinese Leaders

The development of democracy on a national scale in keeping with the teachings of Sun Yat-sen is one of the major tasks of the leaders of Modern China. In this respect, it is not surprising that his son, Dr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, has devoted nearly his whole attention to this question.

During the present war of resistance, the name of Dr. Sun Fo is associated in Chinese circles with the importance laid upon the mobilization of the widest sections of the people for the purposes of struggle together with the regular and irregular armies which are fighting the Japanese invaders. And this is a logical development of the process of democratization from peace-time conditions into the present war-time conditions where the Japanese invaders are being beset by armed, economic and political resistance within those very areas which they are supposed to have occupied.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen and his immediate followers made detailed researches as to what form of political expression Democracy should take in China. I remember conversations with some of Dr. Sun's closest associates who had in London

with Professor Barker, the authority on the Democracies of ancient Greece and Rome. But, in later years, even these men became sceptical of the correctness of those investigations and of their possible later application in the form of Western Parliamentaryism. Misgivings arose that Parliament and elections on the basis of property or birth qualifications, would not satisfy the conditions of a "continent" peopled by a quarter of the population of the world.

THROES OF TURMOIL

In 1928, Canton was in the throes of political turmoil. The theory of the Greek state had been abandoned for the theory of the Russian state, or what was considered to be that theory. For at the best that might be said for him, Michael Borodin, the High Adviser to the Nationalist Government, was an amateur Marxist. However, as a remarkable opportunist he was able to manoeuvre in the prevailing political situation in Canton almost as well as the ablest Chinese politician.

When the test came in Wuhan in 1927, the political fabric was broken, as was to be expected since it was based upon social and economic foundations which were not real.

The strivings for Democracy in China between 1927 and 1937 found expression in different forms. The principal of these was the Constitutional Movement led by Mr. Sun Fo. The Kuomintang Party in December, 1932, instructed that a Constitution, designed to set China upon a democratic path, be drafted. The task was commenced as soon as Dr. Sun Fo took up office as President of the Legislative Yuan in January, 1933. In opposition to the Constitutional tendency and democracy, the usual unsteady elements in the Government, more connected with the feudal military and the remnants of the ex-Manchu Bureaucracy,

According to the anecdote, Generalissimo Chiang was said to have asked the professor what should be done. The respected philosopher, who had not read the newspaper for some days, immediately responded "Suppress the Communists." Turning to the progressive, he asked the same question. Looking nervously around, the progressive said "Make a United Front"—and straightway disappeared—under the table. The noted leader of the reaction on being asked the same question, stood up, placed one hand on the chair as though the tiller of a boat, studiously placed one finger of his other hand in his mouth and held it up—to see which way the wind blew.

The story concludes: After the visitors had gone, Chiang called in Lin Pai-chun, former C.E.C. member of the Kuomintang, and at that time Finance Commissioner of the Soviet Border Government in the North-West, and made the agreement for the United Front.

(To be Continued)

WOMAN FINED FOR
TRESPASSING

Charged with trespassing on Military property, Tsui Kam-fung, 25, was fined \$10 or three weeks' hard labour by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Magistracy on Saturday.

The woman was seen by Pte. J. Clarke, in a European lavatory at Victoria Barracks, at about 6.30 p.m. on Friday.

Defendant made accusations of indecent assault against "some Europeans."

well-known engineers will assist in repairing the "Jink Plane Dorado," and also be on hand to lend aid in servicing the 104 planes which will pass through Bangkok this month for Imperial Airways. The usual number of calls there per month for this Company are about 50, but this Christmas mail business more than doubles the ins and outs to the Stamese city.

Rev. S. F. Mack held a ticket for Calcutta, and the other Saturday morning passenger was Dr. Peter Emmons down from Shanghai, on his way to India.

Sunday Arrival

YESTERDAY afternoon at 5.40 o'clock the "Dardanus" arrive from Bangkok with one passenger Mr. I. Shibayama. This plane is a new one on the Hongkong run. Previously it had been used on the Calcutta to Bangkok route.

Notes:

A CHINA National Aviation Corporation plane was due to leave

TRESPASSING
CHARGE

Sentence of a month's hard labour was imposed on Hung Ham, 36, by Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court on Saturday when Hung was found guilty on a charge of having been on the third floor of the China Fleet Club, while he had no reason to be there.

Able Seaman F. P. Giles told the Court that at about 4.20 a.m. on Friday, he saw defendant on the verandah acting in a very strange manner. He asked him what he was doing, and defendant said he was looking for his friend. It was learned that defendant was formerly employed in the Club.

SHIPING
MOVEMENT

R.M.S. EMPRESS OF CANADA

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada (Canadian Pacific S.S. Limited) is due here from Manila at 8 a.m. on December 7 (Wednesday), and will berth at Kowloon Wharf. She will leave Hongkong for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C. via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at noon on December 9 (Friday).

for Chungking from Kai Tak at 8 p.m. yesterday.

A plane of the Eurasia Aviation Corporation is reported to be arriving about 2 a.m. this morning from North China with mail and passengers.

The s.s. Neptuna arrived in the Colony from Australia late yesterday afternoon.

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Steamer Passenger Service May Be Resumed

not prepared a few weeks ago

ANNUAL CLOSING DAY HELD AT K.B.G.C.

Vice-President's Team Beat President's In Close Game

Kowloon Bowling Green Club held their lawn bowls closing day yesterday when ten rinks were engaged, resulting in a win for the Vice-President's team over the President's side by 194 shots to 192. An American tennis tournament was also played, when a Red team beat a Blue side.

Mrs. E. V. Searle, wife of the K.B.G.C. President, presented the prizes.

Manners And Lay Again

NEAR CENTURY BY NAVAL BATSMAN.

By "Tad"

Once more belying the critics who had expressed the opinion that County cricket though he might be, he would not get very many runs in Hongkong, Lt. Manners, Royal Navy, and ex-Hampshire batsman, who has been in such brilliant form lately, nearly scored another century against the Hongkong Cricket Club in the match at King Park between these two teams on Saturday.

His magnificent knock of 94, which included 15 boundaries, failed, however, to save the Navy from defeat by 12 runs, for Manners was carrying the side alone, on his shoulders, the Naval total being no more than 142 in a reply to a score of 154 for nine wickets declared.

Another batsman to catch the eye again on Saturday was the schoolboy star F. J. Lay, who contributed 65 runs to the Diocesan Boys' Schools total of 170 for seven declared, by which they beat Craigengower Cricket Club, joint-champions of the first division of the league, by 14 runs. This brings Lay's last three innings to a total of 253 runs for twice out (108 not out v. B. D. Lay's XI; 80 v. C. S. C. C. Ist; 85 v. C. C. C. Ist).

Lay's very fine performances of late stand far and away above anything done by a schoolboy of recent years, and brings the memory back to the days of Donald Anderson, Arthur Rumjahn, George Souza, A. R. Sullivan, etc.

SCORES

Scores of Saturday's games are as follows:—
At King's Park, Hongkong C.C. beat Royal Navy by 12 runs. Hongkong C.C. 154 for 9 dec. Navy, 142.

At Recreio, Kowloon C.C. beat Club de Recreio by 10 runs. K.C.C. 76. Recreio, 66.

At the Valley, Diocesan Boys' School beat a Craigengower team by 14 runs. D.B.S. 170 for 7 dec. C.C.C. 156.

At Sookunpoo, Indian R.C. beat Army by 8 wickets. Army, 77. I.R.C. 113 for 3.

At Sookunpoo, Indian R.C. juniors beat Army 2nd XI by 8 wickets. Army 2nd XI, 89. I.R.C. 2nd XI, 145 for 9.

At K.O.C., Kowloon C.C. juniors drew with Club de Recreio 2nd XI. Recreio 2nd XI, 169 for 7 dec. K.C.C. 2nd XI, 107 for 8.

At Pokfulam, University beat Queen's College by 3 wickets. Queen's, 100. University, 108.

At the Valley, Civil Service C.C. beat R.A.M.C. by 6 wickets. R.A.M.C., 101. C.S.C.C., 105 for 6.

At H.K.C.C., Hongkong Cricket Club juniors beat Police R.C. by 7 wickets. Police, 79. H.K.C.C. 2nd XI, 158 for 7.

STEEL COULSON'S LEAGUE RESULTS

Latest results in the Steel Coulson's League are as follows:—

BILLIARDS

Civil Service C.C. v. C. & P.O.R.C.	
Score	Score
Rakusen 150	Halstead 75
Hickman 150	Honeywell 105
Warr 150	Pethick 112
Naval Yard Police v. Garrison S/M	
Brotherston 120	Bennett 150
Whelan 150	Brittlebank 145
Arlliss 63	O'Connor 150
Civil Service C.C. v. Naval Y. Police	
Hickman 150	Rosch 127
Warr 150	Mesleese 79
Rakusen 150	Duddridge 60

SNOOKER

Civil Service C.C. v. C. & P.O.R.C.	
Score	Score
Rakusen 86	Halstead 23
Collyer 35	Pethick 48
Hickman 93	Brown 43
Naval Yard Police v. Garrison S/M	
Curry 35	Brittlebank 69
Whelan 33	Gill 51
Fox 13	Pittam 58
Civil Service C.C. v. Naval Yard	
Hickman 80	Coles 25
Warr 35	Duddridge 60
Rakusen 67	McAleese 18

HOME FOOTBALL

Arsenal Win 3-1 In Home Game

London, Dec. 4.
The following are the results of League football matches played today:—

FIRST DIVISION	
Arsenal	3 Birmingham 1
Aston Villa	2 Charlton 0
Blackpool	1 Leicester 1
Brentford	2 Middlesbrough 1
Derby	2 Liverpool 2
Everton	4 Chelsea 1
Grimsby	3 Leeds U. 2
Huddersfield	1 Stoke 4
Portsmouth	0 Manchester U. 0
Sunderland	2 Bolton 2
Wolves	3 Preston 0

SECOND DIVISION	
Blackburn	6 Norwich 0
Bradford	1 Notts F. 2
Bury	2 Sheffield U. 2
Chesterfield	6 Southampton 1
Fulham	2 Luton 1
Manchester C.	4 Newcastle 1
Millwall	1 West Brom. 5
Wednesday	1 Plymouth 4
Swansea	2 Coventry 4
Tranmere	1 Tottenham 2
West Ham	1 Barnley 0

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)	
Aldershot	1 Cardiff 1
Bristol R.	3 Ipswich 2
Clapton	0 Mansfield 0
Crystal Palace	0 Reading 0
Newport	2 Queen's Park 2
Northampton	2 Southend 2
Notts C.	3 Exeter 1
Port Vale	1 Brighton 1
Swindon	4 Bournemouth 2
Torquay	0 Walsall 1
Watford	4 Bristol C. 1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)	
Carlisle	3 Barrow 0
Crews	0 Chester 2
Darlington	3 N. Brighton 0
Doncaster	1 Hull 0
Gateshead	2 Oldham 0
Hartlepool	1 Halifax 1
Rochdale	0 Stockport 0
Rotherham	1 Lincoln 2
Southport	2 Bradford C. 2
Wrexham	1 Barnsley 1
York	2 Accrington 2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
FIRST DIVISION	
Aberdeen	6 Bath 3
Albion	3 Clyde 3
Ayr	4 Arbroath 1
Celtic	5 Hibernian 4
Hamilton	3 Queen's Park 1
Hearts	2 Kilmarnock 1
Rangers	4 Queen O'S. 1
St. Johnstone	2 Motherwell 1
St. Mirren	1 Falkirk 1
Third Lanark	2 Partick 4

SECOND DIVISION	
Brechin	6 Forfar 0
Cowdenbeath	7 Airdrie 2
Dumbarton	2 Alloa 2
Dundee	3 St. Bernard's 0
East Fife	2 King's Park 0
East Stirling	2 Dunfermline 5
Leith	0 Dundee U. 0
Montrose	4 Edinburgh 4
Thurso	2 Moffat 0

LEAGUE POSITIONS	
FIRST DIVISION	
Derby	P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.
18	12 3 3 36 17 25
Everton	17 12 1 4 37 16 25
Charlton	17 8 5 4 25 20 21
Liverpool	17 7 6 4 29 22 20
Leeds U.	17 9 2 6 31 30 20
Wolves	17 7 5 5 24 14 19
Bolton	17 6 6 5 27 24 18
Middlesbrough	17 7 4 6 29 28 18
Grimsby	17 6 6 5 20 23 18
Arsenal	17 5 7 5 20 17 17
Leicester	17 5 6 6 23 27 16
Blackpool	17 5 6 6 23 20 16
Preston N.E.	17 6 4 7 20 23 16
Sunderland	17 6 4 7 20 23 16
Stoke	17 5 6 6 25 32 16
Aston Villa	17 6 3 8 27 27 15
Portsmouth	17 5 5 7 18 28 15
Huddersfield	17 5 4 9 23 30 14
Brentford	17 5 4 8 21 31 14
Chelsea	17 5 4 8 24 22 20
Manchester U.	17 3 6 8 19 26 12
Birmingham	17 5 2 11 25 33 12

SECOND DIVISION	
Fulham	P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.
18	9 6 3 32 19 24
West Brom	18 11 1 6 47 33 23
Blackburn	18 10 2 6 41 26 22
Sheffield U.	17 8 6 3 28 18 22
Newcastle	18 9 3 6 32 25 21
Tottenham	17 7 6 4 29 25 20
Coventry	17 8 4 5 24 22 20
West Ham	18 8 3 7 36 27 19
Millwall	17 7 4 6 34 22 18
Wednesday	17 7 4 6 38 29 18
Manchester C.	17 7 2 8 40 37 18
Plymouth	17 7 3 7 23 21 17
Chesterfield	17 7 3 7 25 25 17
Bradford	17 6 5 6 28 31 17
Burnley	18 6 5 7 24 28 17
Luton	17 7 3 7 28 32 17
Bury	17 5 6 6 24 20 16
Southampton	17 6 2 9 27 35 14
Notts Forest	17 4 4 9 20 34 12
Norwich	17 5 1 11 22 42 11
Swansea	17 1 8 8 20 41 10
Tranmere	17 3 1 13 18 37 7

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)	
Barnsley	P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.
18	12 3 3 39 19 25
Southport	18 9 6 1 36 14 24
Doncaster	17 9 5 3 37 22 23
Oldham	17 10 2 5 38 23 22
Crews	17 10 1 6 37 26 21
Bradford C.	17 8 3 6 30 24 19
Stockport	16 7 4 5 40 32 18
Chester	16 8 2 0 37 32 18
Hull	17 7 4 6 60 29 18

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)	
Newport	P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.
17	11 4 2 26 9 28
Crystal P.	16 9 5 2 27 18 23
Aldershot	17 8 5 3 22 16 22
Reading	17 7 7 3 29 19 21
Queen's P.R.	16 7 7 5 35 20 21
Swindon	16 8 3 5 28 21 19
Brighton	17 8 3 6 27 24 19
Northampton	16 8 3 6 24 24 17
Mansfield	16 6 5 5 21 26 17
Watford	17 5 6 6 21 24 16
Notts C.	16 5 5 6 21 19 15
Port Vale	16 6 3 7 23 23 15
Southport	16 6 3 7 28 29 15
Cardiff	16 5 5 6 23 24 15
Bournemouth	16 4 6 6 16 20 14
Clapton O.	16 4 6 6 18 22 14
Bristol C.	16 5 4 7 25 30 14
Exeter	16 5 4 7 23 35 14
Bristol R.	17 3 6 8 18 20 12
Torquay	16 4 4 8 16 24 12
Ipswich	16 4 3 9 15 25 11
Walsall	16 2 4 10 13 27 8

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
FIRST DIVISION	
Rangers	P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.
19	13 4 2 68 33 30
Celtic	18 11 4 3 84 24 28
Hearts	19 12 1 6 43 35 25
Partick	19 10 2 7 36 36 22
Kilmarnock	19 8 6 5 33 38 22
Aberdeen	19 9 3 7 45 31 21
Hibernian	19 10 1 8 47 35 21
Motherwell	19 9 3 7 48 42 21
Queen O'S.	19 8 4 7 32 35 20
Hamilton	19 9 2 8 34 39 20
Clyde	18 9 1 8 37 34 19
St. Johnstone	19 8 3 8 41 42 19
Falkirk	19 7 5 7 30 36 19
Ayr U.	19 7 4 8 36 39 18
Queen's Park	18 6 3 9 29 37 15
St. Mirren	19 5 5 9 28 40 15
Third Lanark	18 5 4 9 42 53 14
Rath R.	19 5 4 14 31 52 10
Albion	19 4 2 13 30 54 10
Arbroath	19 2 5 12 19 45 9

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RADIO PROGRAMMES

(Continued from Page 3)

8.30 p.m. B.B.C. Recording—A talk by H. Grenville Barker on "Shakespeare."

8.45 p.m. Excerpts from Sir Edward German's "Merrie England" and "Tom Jones."

"Tom Jones"—Selection—H.M. Grammer Guards' band, by Capt. George Miller; "Merrie England"—Vocal Gems—Miriam Licette, Clara Serega, Francis Russell, Dennis Noble, Robert Carr, and Chorus with Orchestra.

9.02 p.m. New Light Variety. O.C.—Blue Devils' March (Williams, arr. Lotter)—The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Your Heart (Haydn Wood); Love Everlasting (Friml)—Ina Suez (Soprano) with Orchestra; Vocal—The Hills of Home (Fox); Oh, Promise Me (de Koven)—Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with Orch. cond. by Nathaniel Shilkret; Orch.—"The Waltz Dream"—Selection (O. Strauss)—De Groot and The Piccadilly Orch.; Vocal—Mon Wellleur Ami (Berthomieu-Tabet)—Lucienne Boyer with Orchestra cond. by Iza Volpin; Vocal—Ahi Maria Mari (Rusco-Di Capua); Guitarren Spielt Auf (Schmidtseder-Siegel)—The Comedy Harmonists with Piano.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Songs by Jan Klepura (Tenor).

Sweet Melody Of Night; I Mean To Say I Love You (film "Give us this Night"); You, Me And Love (film "My Heart Is Calling")—with Orchestral accompaniment.

10 p.m. London Relay—Topical Gazette.

A fortnightly review of things at Home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

10.30 p.m. New Dance Music. Quickstep—There's Honey On The Moon To-night; Slow Fox-Trot—This Is My Night To Dream (film "Doctor Rhythm")—Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra; Fox-Trot—They Gave Him A Gun To Play With; Novelty Fox-Trot—When The Circus Came To Town—Jay Wilbur and His Band with vocal chorus by Sam Costa; Tangos—Lorenzo; Retinita—Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canaro; Fox-Trots—Plastered In Paris; Minuet For A Modern Miss—The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood with vocal chorus; Fox-Trot—Fleur Bleue; One-Step—Je Chante—Charles Trenet (Vocal) with Wal-Berg and His Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close down.

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Finance and Commerce

U.S. Urged To Build Emergency Reserve Of Needed Raw Materials

The possibility that the next session of the United States Congress will appropriate funds for large scale purchases of strategic war materials has been enhanced by the recent action of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce recommending the establishment of an adequate emergency reserve.

Means of solving the shortage in many raw materials essential to industry is being studied by a special Senate Committee and a report will be made to the next Congress. Meanwhile, the Chamber of Commerce—official organization of America's "big business"—has adopted a resolution warning against the possible crippling of American industry, in the event of a sudden major war, as the result of such a shortage.

It has been unofficially estimated that an "adequate" reserve supply would require at least \$300,000,000 worth of purchases. There is little likelihood that the next Congress will appropriate more than a small fraction of that amount as a start, unless the international situation becomes extremely acute.

Of the United States' ten leading imports, six are classified as "strategic" or "critical" materials necessary for the successful conduct of war. The six products, and the leading suppliers to the American market, are:

Rubber — British Malaya, Netherlands East Indies and Ceylon.
Coffee — Brazil, Colombia and Mexico.

Silk — Japan, China and Italy.
Tin — British Malaya, United Kingdom and the Netherlands.

Wool — Australia, Argentina and the United Kingdom.
Hides and Skins — Argentina, British India and Brazil.

CRITICAL NEED

"For the continued operation of industries supplying military items in time of war and for the feeding and health of both the military and civilian populations, certain imported commodities must be available," the Chamber of Commerce said in its report which was widely circulated among members of Congress and administration officials.

"For many of these no sizable domestic supply and no acceptable substitute is at hand."

Other materials necessary for an adequate reserve include antimony, camphor, chrome, iodine, jute, manganese, Manila fibre, mercury, mica, nickel, nitrates, opium, platinum, quinine, shellac and sisal.

"The critical need for these products in time of emergency," the Chamber said, "gives rise to two problems: one, the maintenance of access, in time of war, to the supplying nations, and, two, the

ADULTERATED FOOD AND DRUGS

Amendments To Ordinance

The "Government Gazette" notifies that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Adulterated Food and Drugs Ordinance, 1935, the Governor in Council makes the following further amendment of the regulations made under the said Ordinance published as Notification No. 940 in the "Gazette of the December 6, 1935, as follows:—

1. The following paragraphs rescinded by Notification No. 218 of the Gazette of the 2nd April, 1937, are restored to regulation 1.

(xxvi) Vinegar is a liquid derived wholly from alcoholic and acetous fermentations. It shall contain not less than 4.0 grammes of acetic acid in 100 cubic centimetres of the vinegar. It shall not contain arsenic in amounts exceeding 0.0143%. It shall be free from copper, lead and any other foreign substance, except caramel. It shall contain no sulphuric or other mineral acid.

(xxvii) Malt Vinegar shall be vinegar as defined above, derived wholly from malted barley or wholly from cereals the starch of which has been saccharified by the diastase of malt.

2. The following is added at the end of regulation 1.

Nothing in the definitions of "Vinegar" or "Malt Vinegar" shall apply to Chinese Native Vinegar sold as such under the names of Pak T'so and Hak T'so provided it is not supplied, sold or exposed for sale under any title or description containing the word "pure" or its equivalent, or as implying that it is "Vinegar" or "Malt Vinegar" as hereinbefore defined.

SHARE MARKET REVIEW

MARKET FIRMER

BY C. A. L. RICKETT.

Secretary, Hongkong Sharebrokers' Association

Dec. 3.

After a quiet week the undertone of the market is considerably firmer at the close of business today. Buyers are more in evidence but in spite of a more optimistic feeling, the turnover has been small as holders are disinclined to part with their shares at quoted prices.

Hongkong shares changed hands at the improved price of \$1,390. Wharves were wanted at \$118 with sellers at 118. Lands came to business at \$34 with further enquiries at this figure. Electrics had buyers at \$56, Trams at \$16, and Watsons at \$6.90. Providents were steady at \$5.30 for the old shares and \$5.10 for the new.

There has been a steady demand for Hotels at \$8.35 and for China Lights (o) at \$10.60. China Underwriters reacted unfavourably to the announcement of a call of \$1 per share payable next March and had sellers at 75 cents although no sales have been recorded at this figure.

Gold mining stocks have been steady. Fluctuations have been small but the tendency continues towards improvement.

The following dividends have been announced, payable on 30th December. San Maurice five centavos, United Paracale and Coco Grove two centavos each. Market closed quietly steady.

ANGLO-GERMAN TRADE TREATY POSSIBLE

London, Dec. 3.

"The 'Financial News' understands that trade talks between Britain and Germany may result in an agreement covering all world markets.

The Journal adds: "Unofficial explanatory conversations have been going on for some time.

"It is now revealed that Britain throughout insisted that the world trade of both countries must be covered by any agreement.

"Germany, however, desired the scope be limited to trade between the two countries.

"A virtual deadlock was in fact reached at the beginning of this week. But it is believed that the speech of Mr. R. S. Hudson, Secretary of Overseas Trade, in the House of Commons on Wednesday caused some change in the German attitude."—Reuter.

MEASURES AGAINST BOGUS NOTES

Chungking, Dec. 3.

"The Chinese Government is considering taking appropriate measures" regarding the action of the British Municipal Council at Tientsin in agreeing to accept the Japanese-sponsored "Federal Reserve Bank" notes in payment of taxes and bills, said a Chinese Government spokesman.—Reuter.

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MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

DECEMBER 3, 1938.

ON LONDON:—	
Telegraphic Transfer.....	1/16
Bank Bills, on demand.....	1/16
Credit 4 months' sight.....	1/16
ON SHANGHAI:—	
On demand.....	175 nom.
ON SINGAPORE:—	
On demand.....	53 1/2
ON JAPAN:—	
On demand.....	106 1/2
ON INDIA:—	
Telegraphic Transfer.....	83
and demand.....	83
ON NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand.....	2 1/2
Credit, 60 days' sight.....	2 1/2
ON HAWAII:—	
On demand.....	53 3/16
ON PARIS:—	
Bank Bills, on demand.....	109 1/2
Credit, 4 months' sight.....	1,170
ON SAIGON:—	
On demand.....	109 1/2
ON MANILA:—	
On demand.....	58 1/2
ON BANGKOK:—	
On demand.....	140 1/2
Sovereign Notes.....	
Bank Buying Rate.....	1/3 1/16
Bar Silver per oz.....	90-3/16

Market Report

From Room Bros.

Silver prices rose on Saturday to the extent of 1/8 for Ready and 1/16 for Forward the quotations being 20 3/16 and 19 3/8 respectively. Silver advances reported speculators as having operated both ways. A small business was done. The market was steady. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 48.25. New York-London was quoted at 48.5/16.

Steady.

Sterling

Nothing doing. There were sellers at 1/3 Cash, 1/2 31/32 December-January and 1/2 15/16 February-March, buyers at 1/3, 1/32 Cash, 1/3 January-February and 1/2 31/32 March.

U.S. Dollars

Business was done at 29 1/4 for December and 29 3/16 January. The market closed with sellers at 29 1/4 possibly December, 29 3/16 January and 1/2 15/16 February, buyers at 29 5/16 for cash, 29 1/4 first half of January and 29 3/16 first half of February.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers around 182 for Spot.

Shanghai Market

Quiet. Sellers at 8 7/32 for Spot and 8 3/16 December. U.S. Dollars, Sellers at 16 1/32 for Spot and 15 31/32 December.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Dec. 3.

Official T.T. Rates	Opening
London.....	0/8
New York.....	15-5/8
Japan.....	56-7/8
Paris.....	5-4/8
Hongkong.....	52-3/8

Open Market—Selling Rates

Sterling	Morning
Spot.....	0/8-7/32
December.....	0/8-3/16
January.....	0/8-1/8

U.S. Dollars	Morning
Spot.....	16-1/32
December.....	15-31/32
January.....	15-27/32

Silver Duty Rate

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/2-1/2d, unchanged from yesterday.

The Equalisation rate was 6 per cent.

—Reuter.

London Exchange

London, Dec. 3.

Paris 177-45/64; New York 4.68 1/2;	
Montreal 4.71 1/2; Brussels 27.81;	
Geneva 20.62; Amsterdam 8.60 1/2;	
Milan 89; Berlin 11.68; Buenos	
Aires 20.60. Other rates unchanged.—British Wireless.	

New York Exchange

New York, Dec. 3.

T/T on London.....	4.68-7/16
(Opening Rate).....	—Reuter.

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Dec. 3.

T.T. on Japan.....	78-5/8
	—Reuter.

India Rupee Paper

Bombay, Dec. 3.

Govt. 3-1/2% Rupee.....	98-04-0
	—Reuter.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

December 3.

Market was very firm with an upward tendency. In spite of a further advance in prices to-day shares continue to be scarce.

BUYERS	
Hongkong Bank, \$1380.	
Union Insurance, \$485.	
Douglases, \$80.	
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$116.	
Providents (Old), \$5.60.	
Providents (New), \$5.40.	
Rauhs, \$9.10.	
H. & S. Hotels, \$8.40.	
H.K. Lanes, \$34 1/2.	
Humphreys, \$8 1/2.	
H.K. Tramways, \$16.55.	
Star Ferries, \$7 1/2.	
China Lights (Old), \$10.70.	
China Lights (New), \$10.40.	
H.K. Electric, \$56 1/2.	
Sandakan Lights, \$10.10.	
Telephones (Old), \$23 1/2.	
Cements, \$15.20.	
Dairy Farms, \$24.	
Watsons, \$7 1/2.	
Vibro Piling, \$8 1/2.	
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan, 6% pm.	
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, par.	

SELLERS	
China Underwriters, \$0.75.	
H. & S. Hotels, \$8.55.	
H.K. Ropes, \$16.5.	

SALES	
Hongkong Bank, \$1380 90.	
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$117.	
Providents (Old), \$5.50-60.	
H.K. Lanes, \$34 1/2.	
(Prices below in Phil. Currency)	
Antamok Ps. 48	
Atoks Ps. 25	
Begulo Gold Ps. 24 1/2.	
Coco Grov. Ps. 50	
Consolidated Mines Ps. 0035	
Demonstrations Ps. 29	
San Maurizio Ps. 1.80	
Suvec Ps. 19 1/2	
United Paracale Ps. 52	

LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Dec. 2.

COPPER

buyers sellers

Standard, Cash 43-1/16 43-1/8

Standard, 3 months 43-1/4 43-5/16

Electrolytic 48-1/2 49-1/2

TIN

Standard, Cash 214 214-7/4

3 months 214-3/4 215

LEAD

Foreign.

Official Price 15-7/16 15-1/2

Foreign, Official

3 months 15-5/8 15-11/16

SPELTER

Ordinary.

Official Price 13-1/2 13-9/16

Ordinary, Official

3 months 13-11/16 13-3/4

London Dec. 2.

Final Afternoon Transactions

Tin, Standard, Cash £214 sellers

Tin, Standard, 3 months, £214-1/4 paid and sellers.

TREASURY BILLS

London, Dec. 2.

The total amount applied for in

tenders for £35,000,000 Treasury

bills was £74,810,000.

The average rate percent for

bills at three months was 17/11.03d,

against 17/180d a week ago.—British

Wireless

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

STOCKS	Last Sale	STOCKS	Last Sale
Adams Express.....	104	Int. Tel. & Tel.....	9 1/2
Allegheny Steel Co.....	24 1/2	Johns Manville.....	99
Allis Chalmers.....	45 1/2	Kennecott Copper.....	42 1/2
Amerasia Corp.....	70 1/2	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass.....	52 1/2
Amer. Can.....	95 1/2	Lockheed Aircraft.....	27 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Power.....	31 1/2	Loew's Inc.....	59
Amer. Locomotive.....	16 1/2	Martin, Glen L.....	31 1/2
Amer. Metals.....	38	McKesson & Robbins, \$3 pf.....	38 1/2
Amer. Radiator.....	16 1/2	Montgomery Ward.....	27 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill.....	20 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products.....	12 1/2
Amer. Smelting.....	51 1/2	Nat. Distillers.....	27 1/2
Amer. Sugar R'ing.....	23 1/2	National Gypsum.....	14 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.....	148 1/2	National Lead.....	26 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B".....	87	Nat. Power & Light.....	7 1/2
Amer. Waterworks.....	11 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.....	17 1/2
Ancon Copper.....	33 1/2	New York Central.....	17 1/2
Atchafalpa T. & S. Fe.....	30 1/2	N. American Aviation.....	15 1/2
Auburn Motors.....	32 1/2	North American Co.....	21 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio.....	62	Northern Pacific.....	10 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.....	18 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.....	28 1/2
Barnsdall Oil.....	17 1/2	Pacific Lighting.....	—
Bethlehem Steel.....	69 1/2	Packard Motors.....	4 1/2
Boeing Airplane Co.....	30 1/2	Paramount Pictures.....	10 1/2
Borg-Warner.....	30	Pennsylvania R.R.....	19 1/2
Biggs Manufacturing.....	29	Phelps Dodge.....	41 1/2
Brooklyn-Mhattan Trans.....	13 1/2	Phillips Petroleum.....	40 1/2
B'klyn-Mhattan 86 cum pf.....	42 1/2	Public Service of N.J.....	30 1/2
Canadian Pacific.....	52	Pure Oil.....	10
Case, J.I.....	86 1/2	Radio Corp. of Am.....	7 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio.....	33	Republic Steel.....	22 1/2
Chrysler Corp.....	78 1/2	Reynold Tobac. "B".....	43 1/2
Columbia Gas & El.....	61	Schenley Distillers.....	19
Columbia 8% "A" pf.....	74 1/2	Schenley, 5 1/2 pf.....	—
Commercial.....	56 1/2	Sears Roebuck.....	72
Commonwealth & S. (ord.).....	1 1/2	Shell Union Oil.....	14 1/2
Cwealth & S. 8% cum pf.....	29 1/2	Socony-Vacuum Oil.....	13 1/2
Consolidated Edison.....	47 1/2	Southern Pacific.....	17 1/2
Consolidated Oil.....	8 1/2	Southern Ry 5% pf.....	27 1/2
Continental Can.....	37 1/2	Standard Brands.....	7
Continental Oil.....	27 1/2	Stand Gas & Elec.....	3 1/2
Corn Products.....	63 1/2	Standard Oil of N.J.....	50 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C).....	61	Stone & Webster.....	13 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A".....	25 1/2	Swift International.....	—
Distillers Corp. Seagrams.....	21 1/2	Technicolor.....	20 1/2
Douglas Aircraft.....	68 1/2	Texas Corp.....	43 1/2
Du Pont.....	145 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur.....	32 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead.....	13 1/2	Trans-America Co.....	7 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share.....	10	20th Cent. Fox.....	26
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.....	55 1/2	20th Cent. Fox \$1 pf.....	35
Elec. Bond & Share \$6 pf.....	63 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon.....	84 1/2
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf.....	35 1/2	Union Pacific.....	88 1/2
Flintkote.....	28	United Aircraft.....	37 1/2
Gen. American Trans.....	53 1/2	United Airlines Trans.....	11 1/2
Gen. Electric.....	41 1/2	United Corp.....	3 1/2
Gen. Motors.....	48 1/2	United Corp. \$3 cum pf.....	33 1/2
Gen. Railway Signal.....	21 1/2	United Gas Corp.....	2 1/2
Glidden Co.....	24	United Gas Improvement.....	11 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.).....	22 1/2	U.S. Rubber.....	47 1/2
Goodrich 5% pf.....	68	U.S. Rubber \$8 pf.....	104 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.....	32 1/2	U.S. Steel.....	62
Great Northern Iron Ore.....	15	Vanadium.....	24 1/2
Great Northern Ry. pf.....	24 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict.....	5 1/2
Great Western Sugar.....	28 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.....	11 1/2
Greyhound Corp.....	20 1/2	Woodward Iron Corp.....	—
Hecker Products.....	10 1/2	Chase National Bank.....	29 1/2
Homestake Mining.....	61 1/2	National City Bank.....	22 1/2
Int. Nickel.....	52 1/2	Call Money.....	1%

—bid. —ex div.

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1938		Dec. 4, 1938.		Change	
High	Low	High	Low	High	Low
168.41	168.41	167.57	167.57	1.84	0.84
33.18	33.18	33.33	33.33	0.15	0.15
45.19	45.19	45.33	45.33	0.14	0.14
92.70	92.70	92.70	92.70	0.00	0.00
59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	0.00	0.00
Commodity Index		43.17	43.17	47.89	47.89
				47.89	47.89

Business Done—\$3,670,341 shares.

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

SATURDAY, DEC. 3.

BUYERS	SELLERS	NAME	PRICE	BUYERS	SELLERS	NAME	PRICE
DEC. 3.							
Banks							
\$1330	1350/90	H.K. Bank	\$1350			H.K. Bank	
		Do. (Col. Reg.)				Do. (Col. Reg.)	
		Do. (Lon. Reg.)				Do. (Lon. Reg.)	
		Chartered Bank				Chartered Bank	
		Mercantile Bk. "A"				Mercantile Bk. "A"	
		Mercantile Bk. "C"				Mercantile Bk. "C"	
		Bank of East Asia				Bank of East Asia	
		N. C. & S. Bank				N. C. & S. Bank	
Insurance							
\$485		Canton Insurance				Canton Insurance	
	75c.	Union Insurance				Union Insurance	
		Underwriters				Underwriters	
		H.K. Fire				H.K. Fire	
Shipping							
\$60		Douglases				Douglases	
\$18		Steamboats				Steamboats	
\$53		Indo-China (Frd.)				Indo-China (Frd.)	
\$24		Indo-China (Def.)				Indo-China (Def.)	
\$5/8		Shells				Shells	
\$6		Waterboats				Waterboats	
Docks, Wharves							
Godowns, etc.							
\$118	5117	H.K. & K. Wharves				H.K. & K. Wharves	
\$5.00	5.60/60	Providents (old)	\$5.30			Providents (old)	
\$5.40		Providents (new)	\$310			Providents (new)	
		H.K. & W. Docks				H.K. & W. Docks	
		Do. (new)				Do. (new)	
		Shanghai Docks S.				Shanghai Docks S.	
		New Engineering S.				New Engineering S.	
Mining							
\$10	17/0	Kailash	\$9.20			Kailash	
		Rauhe				Rauhe	
		Venezuela Gold Fide.				Venezuela Gold Fide.	
	7 3/4 cts.	Hong Kong Mines				Hong Kong Mines	
Lands, Hotels, and							
Buildings							
\$6.40	5 55	H.K. Hotels	\$8.40			H.K. Hotels	
\$341		H.K. Lands	\$441			H.K. Lands	
	314 1/2	Do. 4% Debentures				Do. 4% Debentures	
\$81	\$107 1/2	Shanghai Lands S.				Shanghai Lands S.	
	\$3.90	H.K. Realities	\$81			H.K. Realities	
	\$81	Humphreys				Humphreys	
	\$96	Chinese Estates				Chinese Estates	
Cotton Mills							
\$16.55	\$16.10	Ecos (S.)	\$16.60			Ecos (S.)	
	\$110	S'hai Cottons (S.)	16 1/2			S'hai Cottons (S.)	
	\$24	Zoong Sings (S.)	71			Zoong Sings (S.)	
	\$40	Wing On Textiles (S.)				Wing On Textiles (S.)	
Public Utilities							
	\$61	Tramways	\$16.60			Tramways	
	\$31	Peak Trans (old)				Peak Trans (old)	
	\$23	Peak Trans (new)				Peak Trans (new)	
	\$23	Star Ferries				Star Ferries	
	\$24	Ymat Ferries C.B.				Ymat Ferries C.B.	
	\$24	Do. (new)				Do. (new)	
\$10.70		China Lights (old)	\$10.60			China Lights (old)	
\$10.40		China Lights (new)	\$10.20			China Lights (new)	
\$56 1/2		H.K. Electric	\$59 1/2			H.K. Electric	
	\$17 1/2	Macao Electric				Macao Electric	
\$10.10		Sandakan Lights				Sandakan Lights	
\$23 1/2		Telephones (old)				Telephones (old)	
	\$5.60	Telephones (new)				Telephones (new)	
	\$2.6	Tramways				Tramways	
	\$5.0	Tractions (pref.)				Tractions (pref.)	
Industries							
	\$14	Cald., Macg. (Ord.) S.				Cald., Macg. (Ord.) S.	
	\$13	Cald., Macg. (Frd.) S.				Cald., Macg. (Frd.) S.	
	\$1.70	Canton Ice				Canton Ice	
		Cement				Cement	
		Hops				Hops	
Miscellaneous							
\$24		Dair Farms				Dair Farms	
	16 1/2	Ch. E. Mainland	\$6.80			Ch. E. Mainland	
		Constructions (old)				Constructions (old)	
		Constructions (new)				Constructions (new)	
	\$81	Lane Crawfords				Lane Crawfords	
	\$2	Nanyang Tobacco				Nanyang Tobacco	
		Sincere				Sincere	
		Watsons				Watsons	
5% p.m	71 1/2	Ch. G. S. 1923-24 Sds	\$6.50			Ch. G. S. 1923-24 Sds	
1% p.m		H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Bonds				H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Bonds	
	\$36	H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loans				H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loans	
		H.K. Wing On				H.K. Wing On	
		B'hai Wing On				B'hai Wing On	
		Vibro Piling				Vibro Piling	
	16/8	Maraman Inv. (H.K.)				Maraman Inv. (H.K.)	
	3/0	Maraman Inv. (Lon.)				Maraman Inv. (Lon.)	
	\$0 cts.	Wm. Powells				Wm. Powells	
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* TATUNO MARU (from Kobe) 27th Dec.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez

SUWA MARU 17th Dec.
 TEKUKUNI MARU 30th Dec.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Saigon, Madang,

Salamau, Rabaul.

* m.v. "NEPTUNA" 6th Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

* BRITISH MONARCH 27th Dec.
 * HAKODATE MARU 10th Jan.

RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore

* TOKUSIMA MARU 9th Dec.
 * ANAOKO 14th Dec.
 * TUSIMA MARU 21st Dec.

Kobe and Yokohama

HARUNA MARU (via K'lung & Shanghai) 15th Dec.
 YASUKUNI MARU (via Shanghai) 10th Jan.

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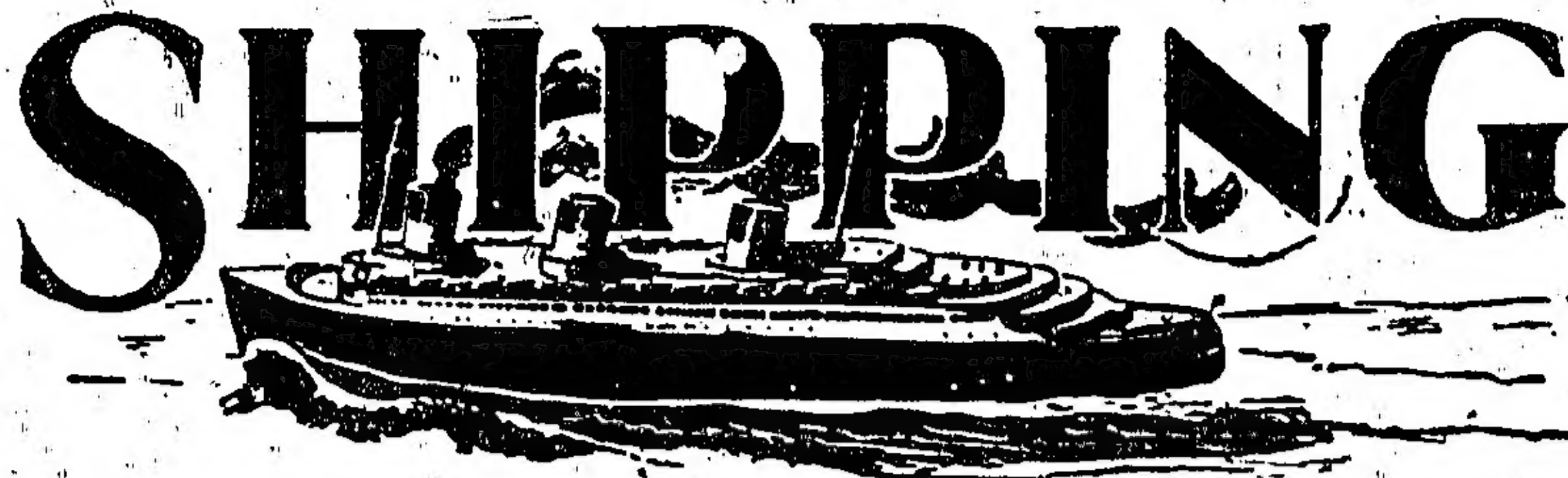
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DUE TO-DAY

Danmark, Danish, 5,342 registered tons, Capt. Hjernum, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A2, a.m.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

Arabia Maru, Japanese, from Japan, at buoy No. A1, a.m.—O. S. K. (Tel. 28031).

Serooskerk, Dutch, 5,293 registered tons, Captain F. L. Leules, from Europe via Manila, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Tai Fung Sek, French, 1,219 reg. tons, Captain J. Bonnumbur, from K. C. Wan, at buoy No. C7, p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

DUE TO-MORROW

Antiochus, British, 5,772 registered tons, Captain J. H. Blyth, from Europe and Straits, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Talma, British, 6,154 registered tons, Captain C. C. Gwyn, from Calcutta and Straits, at Kowloon Wharf, a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Van Heutsz, Dutch, 2,749 registered tons, Captain Beurts, from Amoy, at buoy No. A7, p.m.—J.C.J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Changite, British, 2,582 registered tons, Captain F. C. Gambrell, from Australia and Manila, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon—Nankin, Niel Maersk and Neptuna.
 Salkong—Wing Wo.
 C. M. S. N.—Changon.
 Kowloon Bay—Yolande Bertin and Apcey.
 West Point Buoy—Jean Dupuis and Anshun.

Stonecutters—Tsinan and Norviken.

DOCKS

Talkoo—Canton, Xaying, Shun Chih and Sinkiang.
 Kowloon—Malayan Prince and Buys.

BUOYS

No. A 3.—Tjlsadane.
 No. B 2.—Wing Sang.
 No. B 3.—Yingchow.
 No. B 4.—Chekiang.
 No. B 5.—Proteus.
 No. B15.—Kalgan.
 No. B20.—Liangchow.
 No. B21.—Klungchow.
 No. B22.—Mau Sang.
 No. B23.—Fou Shing.
 No. C 1.—Hiram.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following vessels were in communication with Hongkong up to 8 p.m. yesterday and communication with them can reasonably be expected to-day—

Klungu, Hai Tan, Soochow, Selstan, Tsinan, Taiyuan, Anking, Norviken, Santhia, Anshun, Hai Hing, Shantung, Jean Dupuis, Haidis, Kwelyang, Hai Yang, Anhui, Talma, Yuen Sang, Hako-zaki Maru, Antiochus, Kwang-tung, Nelson, Arabia-Mar, Renan, Indira, Steel Seafarer, Foratic, Sagres, Sul Sang, Empress of Canada, President Coolidge, Chitral, Baron, Stranraer, Devon City, Ahamo, Orangemoor and Hakusan Maru.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Changon, British, 2,235 registered tons, Captain L. N. Beer, from K. C. Wan, at C. M. S. N. Wharf—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Liangchow, British, 1,220 registered tons, Capt. G. P. Cope, from Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow, at buoy No. B20—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Jean Dupuis, French, 386 registered tons, Captain Laval, from Haiphong and K. C. Wan, at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Anshun, British, 1,869 registered tons, Captain C. P. Miller, from Straits, at buoy No. B7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Neptuna, British, 3,607 registered tons, Capt. F. Vogelmann, from Australia via Rabaul and Manila, at Kowloon Wharf—Gibb, Livingston & Co. (Tel. 28031).

Tjlsadane, Dutch, 5,780 registered tons, Captain H. de Jonge, from Shanghai and Amoy, at Kowloon Wharf—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Tsinan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from Shanghai and Amoy, at Stonecutters—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Lyeemoon, British, 1,734 registered tons, Captain W. J. Freer, from Swatow, at Stonecutters—W. Pat Sing Tel. 20005).

Norviken, Norwegian, 1,779 registered tons, Captain P. Woxholt, from Swatow, at Stonecutters—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Captain I. d. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, at Salkong Wharf—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

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Wing Sang, British, 1,953 registered tons, Captain S. J. Barden, from Hoihow, at buoy No. B2—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hiram, Norwegian, 1,108 registered tons, Captain T. Olsen, from Swatow, at buoy No. C1—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

Klungchow, British, 1,545 registered tons, Captain H. de Jonge, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B21—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Malayan Prince, British, 5,238 registered tons, Captain J. Smith, from San Francisco, New York and Shanghai, at Kowloon Dock—Furness (Far East) Limited (Tel. 23165).

Bangalore, British, 2,875 registered tons, Captain M. B. Symons, from Straits, at Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Hakusan Maru, Japanese, 2,71 reg. tons, Captain T. Takahata, from London and Straits, at buoy No. A7—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Sul Sang, British, 2,208 registered tons, Captain T. Hughes, from Calcutta and Straits, at Kowloon Wharf—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Nankin, British, 4,420 registered tons, Captain Mills, from Australia and Manila, at Kowloon Wharf—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Chekiang, British, 1,313 registered tons, Captain D. Brothie, from Swatow, at buoy No. B4—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

SAILING TO-DAY

Nankin, British, 4,420 registered tons, Captain Mills, from Kowloon Wharf, for Shanghai and Japan, 10 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Niel Maersk, Danish, 3,168 registered tons, Captain Korup, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila and Cebu, a.m.—Jebson and Co. (Tel. 31205).

Wing Sang, British, 1,953 reg. tons, Captain S. J. Barden, from buoy No. B2, for Swatow, Shanghai, Chefoo and Tientsin, 3 p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Danmark, Danish, 5,342 registered tons, Capt. Hjernum, from buoy No. A2, for Manila, Straits and Europe, p.m.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

SAILING TO-MORROW

Kalgan, British, 1,556 registered tons, Captain F. Gibbs, from buoy No. B7, for Swatow, Saigon and Bangkok, 10 a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Yingchow, British, 1,216 registered tons, Captain J. G. Smart, from buoy No. B3, for Swatow, Foochow, Tsinan, Weihaiwei and Tientsin, 10 a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Liangchow, British, 1,220 registered tons, Capt. G. P. Cope, from buoy No. B20, for Swatow and Shanghai, 10 a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Klungchow, British, 1,545 registered tons, Captain J. H. Hodgkiss, from buoy No. B7, for Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong, 2 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Captain I. d. de Lemos, from Salkong Wharf, for K. C. Wan, 4 p.m.—Tai Fung & Co. (Tel. 20093).

Jean Dupuis, French, 386 registered tons, Captain Laval, from Hoihow, 2 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Tjlsadane, Dutch, 5,780 registered tons, Captain H. de Jonge, from buoy No. A3, for Manila, Cebu, Makassar and Sourabaya, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

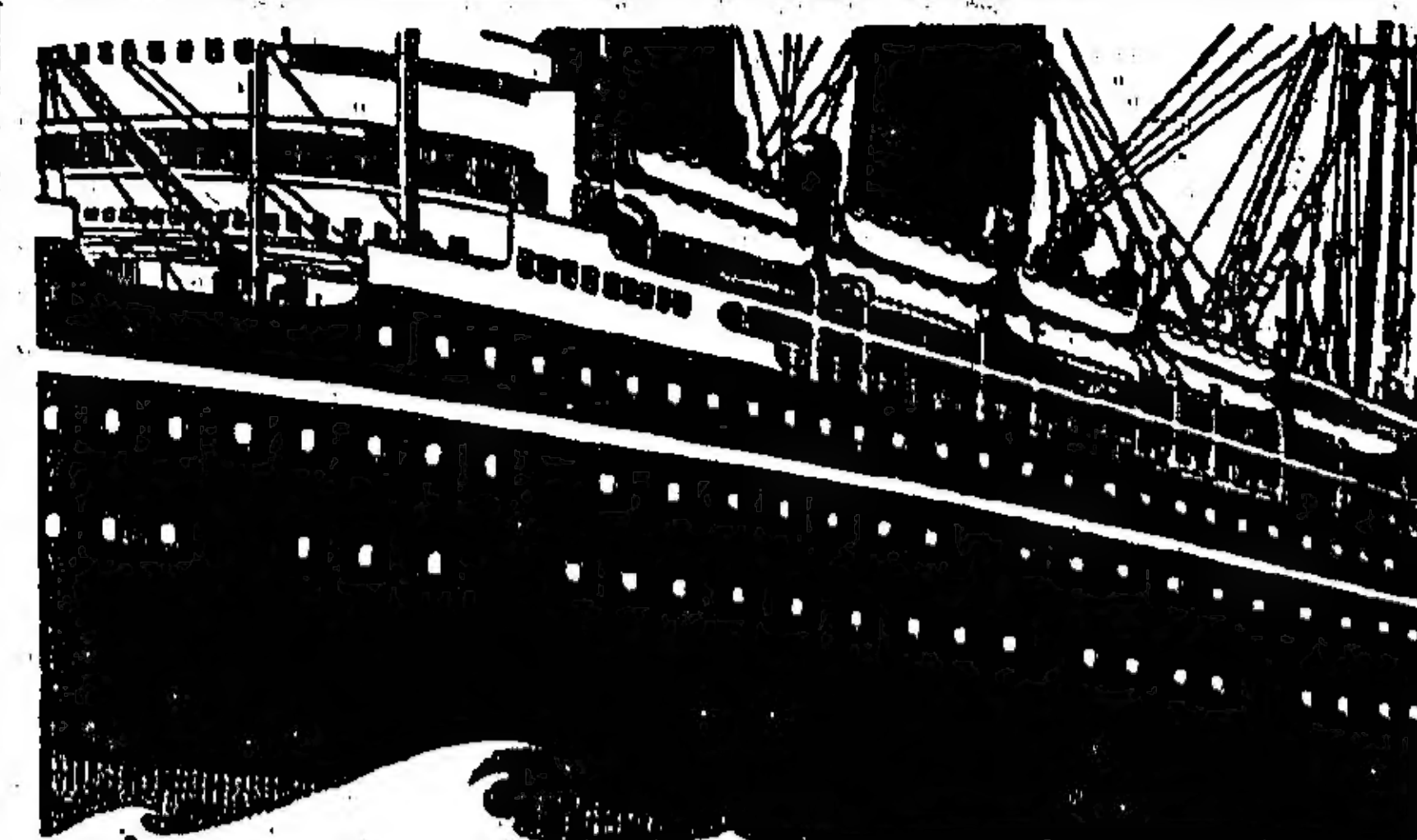
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 Ahamo for Dairen.
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Hakusan Maru for Shanghai.
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 Wing Wah for K. C. Wan.
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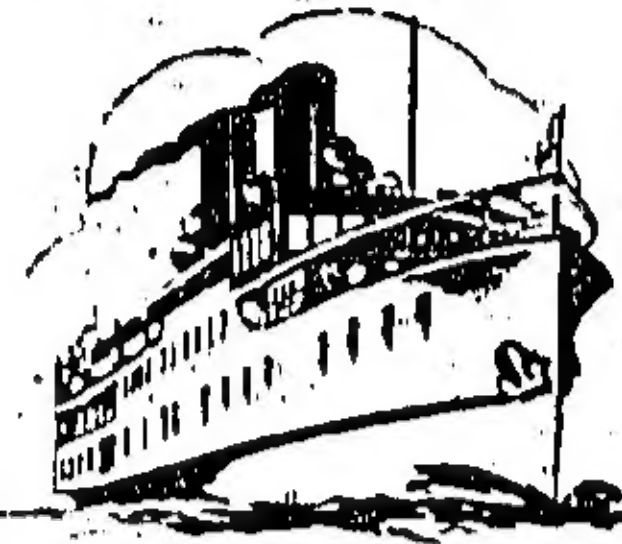
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NAVY DRAW
WITH SCOTSPoor Display At
Sookunpoo

Navy gave a very poor display against the Royal Scots in a Senior League encounter at Sookunpoo yesterday, snaring four goals.

Though having a lead of 2-0 in the first half, they fell away badly in the final period to allow the Scots to score two goals. Both goalkeepers gave fine performances.

Armstrong, on the wing, was the only bustling Navy forward, while Hunt and Betts were off form.

Dixon and Honeywell played well in the Navy intermediate line. Navy lacked three reserves, Finley and Roper at back, and Fisher in the left-half position.

Royal Scots were at full strength, and after a very slow start, rained well in the second half to score two goals.

Proctor, the Scots' centre-half played a good game, but was unfortunate to collide with Hunt, thereby sustaining an eye injury in the opening half.

Hunt opened scoring for the Navy from a penalty during the first five minutes of play. Armstrong then shot a beautiful goal from a difficult angle.

On resumption, the Royal Scots brought the ball into the sailors' half of the field. MacAlister brought off several fine saves.

Munro netted for the Scots soon after, and Kane scored the equaliser following a melee.

The teams were:
NAVY.—MacAlister, Finley, Roper; Honeywell, Dixon, Fisher; Armstrong, Thorburn, Marrill, Hunt and Betts.

ROYAL SCOTS.—Duncan, Fraser, McDonald, Bron, Proctor, Clark, Munro, Fleming, Hossack, Allan and McKay.

MIDDLESEX BEAT
ENGINEERS

In another Second Division match at Happy Valley on Saturday, Middlesex defeated the Royal Engineers in a fast game by six goals to two.

Middlesex led by two-nil at the interval, Crowhurst scoring both goals. Crowhurst scored again and Moggeridge added two more goals for Middlesex before the Sappers replied.

With 15 minutes left to play, the game turned in the Sappers' favour and Lowe and Pelham netted in quick succession. Crowhurst added his fourth goal for Middlesex before the game was over.

NEAR UPSET

St. Joseph's almost caused an upset in their Senior Division football League game against South China at Causeway Bay, yesterday, the Chinese winning by the odd goal to five.

Though South China had a lead of three clear goals in the first period of play, they were completely routed by the Saints in the final period, with Leonard scoring twice.

Yeung Shui-yick obtained the "hat-trick."

The teams were:
ST. JOSEPH'S.—F. Cruz, L. Souza, Marques, Sprinkle, Woo, Castilho, Gomes, Leonard, Azim and Alves.

SOUTH CHINA "B".—Tam Kwon-kon; Leung Pak-wah, Lau Mau; Lau Wai-pui, Lau Tak-po, The Kam-hung; Yeung Shui-yick, Yeung Kam-po, Chan Tak-fai, Lau Chung-sang, and Lee Shek-yau.

VERY EVEN GAME

A decidedly even game was seen on the Club ground when Royal Scots defeated Eastern 2-0 in a Second Division League encounter yesterday.

Clark, the Scots' custodian, brought off numerous brilliant saves.

MacDonald and Fraser scored the goals.

GARDY NETS FIVE

In a Third Division "A" League fixture 5th R.A. beat Royal Scots by six clear goals at Sookunpoo yesterday. The winners have completed their first round fixtures with 18 points out of a possible 20.

Gardy distinguished himself by scoring five of the six goals. Masterton-Smith added the sixth goal in the second period.

DRAWN MATCH

South China after enjoying a lead by the odd goal in three in a Third Division "A" League encounter, shared points with R.A. (Stanley) at Caroline Hill yesterday, each side netting three goals.

Mak Hoo-yuen accomplished the

PROGRAMME FOR
13TH EXTRA
RACE MEETING

The programme for the thirteenth Extra Race meeting to be held at Happy Valley on Saturday, December 17, at 2 p.m. is as follows:—

Hongkong Autumn Champions.

Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies that have started in at least three Extra Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1938. Winners at Extra Meetings of this Club 1938 only. Weight for inches as per scale. Post Entries. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

Note.—Entries to be nominated on the day of the race, i.e. Ponies must be declared as starters by posting their names in the relative declaration box in the usual manner.

Laggards' Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of any Season that have started in at least one Extra Meeting of this Club during 1938. Winners of more than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January 1938, and Ponies classified "C" Class, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Tardy Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "C" Class, that have started in at least two Extra Meetings of this Club during 1938. Winners of more than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January 1938, and Ponies classified "C" Class, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Queensland Autumn Champions.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of any Season that have started in at least three Extra Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1938. Winners at Extra Meetings of this Club 1938 only. Weight for inches as per scale. Post Entries. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

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Dilatory Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class, that have started in at least two Extra Meetings of this Club during 1938. Winners of more than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1938, and Ponies classified "D" Class, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Hongkong Sub-Griffins Autumn Champions.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season, that have started in at least three Extra Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1938. Winners at Extra Meetings of this Club 1938 only. Weight for inches as per scale. Post Entries. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.

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Last Chance Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Subscription Ponies, "C" Class, that have started in at least one Extra Meeting of this Club during 1938. Winners of more than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1938, and Ponies classified "C" Class, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Final Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "E" Class, that have started in at least two Extra Meetings of this Club during 1938. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Daily Double Event.—Fifth and seventh races.

Entries close at noon on Thursday, December 8.

SAILING RESULTS

Gull (Mr. A. O. G. Mills) on Saturday won the "A" Class event in the 1st Corinthian Series of yacht races, followed by True Blue (Mr. H. S. Rouse) and La Linda (Mrs. M. I. Johnstone). Dorothea (Dr. Dean Smith) won "H" Class and Widgeon (Mr. L. Garner) the "I" "Y" and "G" Classes event.

The ladies' race last Friday resulted in a win for Lerryn (Miss Whitlam), followed by Gina (Mrs. Johnstone) and Mary Ann (Mrs. Fanshawe).

"hat-trick" while Griffiths, Thacker and Faith scored for the soldiers.

ENGINEERS WIN

Royal Engineers (Chinese) beat Electric in a Third Division League match at Caroline Hill yesterday by four clear goals.

Chen Yuen-kien (2), Lee Mok-yuen and Chan Sam-hoh scored the goals.

EASY WIN FOR
THE CLUBTriangular Tourney
Rugger Match

(By Robin)

The Club 1st XV emerged easy winners in the first match of the Triangular Rugby Tournament against the Army winning by score of 28 points to 3 at Sookunpoo on Saturday. The civilians were decidedly the better side and staged several fine movements, which resulted in tries.

The Army were without Nouch, at back, whose position L/c Waite ably filled. Pte. Ferguson was another notable absentee, his position being taken by Pte. Boustead.

Club opened the scoring through Bidwell. Drew-Wilkinson replying for the soldiers but both kicks were not converted. Grieve scored the second try for the Club and the third came shortly after from Bidwell. At this period of play Drew-Wilkinson was carried off the field after he sustained a nasty injury.

The score at half-time was 9-3 in favour of the Club.

On resumption, Chadwick registered the Club's fourth try, Grieve converting. Garry was forced to leave the field and the Army played throughout the second half with only 13 men. Chadwick scored again and the try was converted by Grieve.

Stewart (2) and Grieve added further tries before the end.

The teams:—

Club 1st XV.—M. W. MacGrath, G. K. Chadwick, H. D. Bidwell (Captain), W. E. Grieve, D. H. Stewart, F. Cessford, J. R. Henderson, K. A. Watson, K. W. Salter, E. W. Stout, R. G. L. Oliphant, C. M. Stark, B. O'M. Deane, A. J. G. Taylor and W. B. Richardson.

Army.—L/c Waite (R.E.); L/Cpl. Garrie (R. Scots), Lt. Chilverall (Middlesex) Lt. Gudgeon (Middlesex) and Pte. Boustead (R.A.O.C.); L/Cpl. Boe (R. Scots) and Lt. Drew-Wilkinson (R. Scots); L/Bdr. Page (R.A.), L/Cpl. Ross (R. Scots); Lt. Crawford (R.C.S.); Spr. Appley (R.A.), Gnr. Evans (R.A.), Pte. Berry (Middlesex), Lt. Hewitt (Middlesex) and Lt. Cuthbertson (R. Scots).

EAGLE BEAT CLUB
AT RUGGERBUT LOSERS WERE
TWO MEN SHORT

H. M. S. Eagle came out winners in their Rugger game against Club A XV after being six points to nil in arrears in the first half. The Navy side featured several soccer players, amongst whom were Hunt, the Navy inside left, who played a fine game at back. He was directly responsible for the Navy tries besides scoring four points from conversion kicks.

Club side were playing with two men short throughout. Bousquet distinguished himself for the Club, with two tries, both of which were scored in the first period of play.

After the interval Tacher scored the Navy's first try following a scrimmage. Hunt kicked successfully. Navy came back shortly afterwards for the lead, Lumsdale played the ball over the line, with Hunt kicking. No further scoring was registered. The final score being ten points to six in favour of H. M. S. Eagle.

The teams were:—
H. M. S. Eagle.—Hunt, Thomas Bailey, Swanden, Fenton, Dixon, Lawn, Romans, Thacher Little, Hane, Jefferies, Hughes, Staple Dunsdale and

Club "A" XV.—F. M. Thompson; D. J. Bousquet, D. Hynes, E. Taverner, C. J. Powell, J. Hutchison, R. Rutherford, J. Moodie, J. S. Dunnett (Captain), T. R. Pratt, J. Redman, K. H. G. White and E. C. Luscombe.

COMBINED SCHOOLS
CRICKET TEAM

The following will represent the Combined Schools against Mr. H. Owen Hughes XI on Wednesday next on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground commencing at 2 p.m. sharp.—F. J. Lay (D.B.S.), D. Cray (D.B.S.), D. Hutchinson (D.B.S.), J. Fisher (D.B.S.), J. L. Youngs (D.B.S.), C. Hoesgood (C.B.S.), N. Smith (C.B.S.), W. Pryde (C.B.S.), G. Gosano (La Salle), J. Gosano (La Salle), N. Singh (Queen's College), and T. Sutter (C.B.S.).

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From	Per	Due
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Australia and Manila	Changee.....	5th Dec.
Straits	Antiochus.....	5th Dec.
Parcels from Calcutta and Straits	Talma.....	5th Dec.
Haiphong, Pakhol and Holhow	Kingyuan.....	5th Dec.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 1st December.	Imperial Airways Plane	7th Dec.
Tientsin and Swatow	Holhow.....	7th Dec.
Haiphong	Laos.....	7th Dec.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	7th Dec.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Parcels etc.)—London date, 10th November and London date, 3rd November	Chitral	8th Dec.
Salon	Marechal Joffre.....	8th Dec.
Japan and Shanghai	Aramis.....	8th Dec.
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 18th November).	Pres. Coolidge.....	8th Dec.
Shanghai	Tokusima Maru m/v Canton	8th Dec.
Japan and Shanghai	Tjibadak.....	8th Dec.
Java	Arens.....	8th Dec.
Straits	Kwelyang.....	10th Dec.
Bangkok and Holhow	Montevideo Maru	11th Dec.
Japan	Tjinegara.....	12th Dec.
Java and Manila	Cremer.....	13th Dec.
Straits		

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MONDAY		
Manila	Niel Maersk.....	Monday, 5th 8.30 AM
Shanghai and Japan	Nan Kin.....	8.30 AM
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Wingsang.....	1.30 PM
Mombasa, Beira, Lourenco Marques, and (Parcels and Papers for South Africa via Durban)	Arabia Maru.....	2.30 PM
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TUESDAY		
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane.....	Tuesday, 6th 8.30 AM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Vingchow.....	8.30 AM
Holhow and Pakhol	Klungchow.....	Noon
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Jean Dupuis.....	2.00 PM
Swatow and Foochow	Seistan.....	2.00 PM
WEDNESDAY		
Swatow and Tientsin	Foosching.....	Wed. 7th 10.30 AM
Haiphong	Norviken.....	10.00 AM
Swatow	Aushum.....	1.30 PM
Amoy	Tsian.....	3.30 PM
THURSDAY		
Shanghai and Japan	Marechal Joffre.....	Thursday, 8th 1.30 PM
Salon	Aramis.....	3.30 PM
Manila	Pres. Coolidge.....	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Airmail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 15th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM

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